

## NORMAL PUPILS TO PLAY FRIDAY

OBSERVE ANNUAL DAY IN GAMES  
AND PICNICS TOMORROW.

## TUTORS AND STUDENTS PLAN FARCE BASEBALL

County Groups Will Also Sport on  
Grassy Sward in Afternoon, After  
Hearing Recreation Lecture.

Tomorrow is "play day" at the Normal, and play it will be.

It will start at 9 o'clock tomorrow morning with a special address on public recreation by Henry S. Curtis, a noted lecturer on that topic, in the usual Normal assembly. It will be followed by group lunches at noon. But the real play and recreation will come in the afternoon tomorrow.

Accompanied by Mr. Curtis, the Normal students from each county represented in the school will go in groups to the Normal park to picnic and spend part of the afternoon. Besides this recreation there is a ball game scheduled to be played at the Normal athletic field at 2 o'clock. Prof. T. H. Cook will be "umps."

It will be a rather farcical affair between the "Never Hits," composed of Normal men students, and the Normal faculty. W. A. Powers is captain of the "Never Hits," while Lonnie Adams will do the twirling.

The line-up for the "Never Hits," announced by Walter Hanson, physical director, today, will be as follows: Lonnie Adams, p; Jesse Miller, Jr., c; W. A. Powers, 1b; Paul Powell, 2b; Ed Adams, 3b; Pierce, ss; Fred Vandereloot, lf; Brown, cf; Bowen, rf.

The line-up for the faculty team has not been selected, but Prof. R. A. Kinaird will probably be in the box. Others proposed for the game, according to Prof. Hanson, are: George Paley, manager; Prof. W. A. Rickenbrode, m; W. Maxwell, Prof. A. J. Caulfield, Prof. M. W. Wilson, Prof. W. M. Westbrook, Prof. H. P. Swinehart and Prof. H. A. Foster.

## MANY ALUMNI ATTEND MEET

Large Audience Hears Special Normal  
Assembly Program of Music  
and Talks.

The "alumni" assembly held at the Normal this morning, in which ten numbers of music and talks were given, was attended by about seventy alumni of the Normal, about 100 visitors and the entire summer Normal students.

The first event of the assembly was a musical number by Miss Marjorie Whiffey and Miss Dale Hoffman. Other musical numbers consisted of a trio by Miss Nellie Wray, Miss Helen Lefler and Miss Winifred Carpenter and a solo by Miss Nellie Wray.

Talks were made by President Ira Richardson, A. H. Cooper, president of the Alumni association; C. H. Allen, Miss Lois Halley, Miss Floy Lyle and Miss Skelton. A reading also was given by Miss Alma Hofchikiss.

The talk by Miss Lyle, who gave her experiences in Porto Rico and the recitation of a poem by Miss Nell Hudson on the Normal's past and present, were particularly good.

## BUSINESS MEN WORK ROADS.

Mound Cityans Assist Farmers in Improving Highway to Bigelow.

A volunteer band of the business men, with teams, spades and all sorts of implements, yesterday worked on the road between Bigelow and Mound City. The recent rains have made this road impassable in several places.

Here from St. Joseph.

Mrs. John Shinabargar of St. Joseph is visiting in Maryville, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Knox and Bud Knox and family.

Ordens Sell Calf for \$250.

A 10-month-old Shorthorn heifer calf was sold this week by E. Ogden & Son of Maryville to T. J. Dawe of Troy, Kan., for \$250. The calf will be used for show purposes. Mr. Dawe also is an extensive breeder of Poland-China hogs.

## STILL REPAIR FLOOD DAMAGE

Three Gangs Continue to Aright Road  
Conditions by Bridge and Culvert  
Improvements.

The work of remedying the impassability and damage of roads and bridges through Nodaway county continue, through the county court, and three forces of workmen are now employed in repairing flood damages.

One gang under the supervision of Charles Hollensbee, is working on the repair of the Nodaway river bridge at Quitman, another under John Hollensbee is remedying conditions of roads across the Canal branch, north of Maryville, while still another, in charge of J. E. Reece, county surveyor and engineer, is still employed in construction and repair work on the White Cloud, southwest of Maryville.

## RALPH FARMER MAY LOSE EYE

Dynamite Cap Explodes, Causing  
Fragments to Lodge in Optic—Will  
Be Brought to Maryville.

The Rev. Ralph Farmer, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Farmer, South Main street, who recently returned from Oberlin college, Oberlin, O., supplying the pastorate of a church near Fairfax, suffered a naccident Tuesday afternoon, which will probably result in the loss of an eye. Farmer was shooting with a target rifle with some friends when a dynamite cap that had in some way gotten among the cartridges exploded, flying pieces striking him in the eye. He was taken to the Ensworth hospital at St. Joseph. His mother and father joined him there and will bring him to Maryville tonight. St. Joseph specialists say it is doubtful whether the eye can be saved.

## SPREE COSTS COFFIN \$73.30

Resident Charged by State With  
Disturbance, Admits Violation  
of 3 City Laws.

A little spree yesterday afternoon, resulted in the arrest of Frank Coffin by the police and fine totaling \$55 and costs aggregating \$18.30, in police court this morning, when he pleaded guilty to each of three charges placed against him. Being unable to pay, he is "laying out" the entire charges of \$73.30 in the city jail.

Coffin is alleged to have gotten boisterous in the saloon operated by John Kane, Third and Market streets, about 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon, when Pickering Green, employed there for the purpose of keeping order, attempted to eject him.

Coffin is said to have resented it, and to have slashed at Green with an opened pocket knife. Green then floored Coffin with a club, after which Chief of Police E. C. Moberly took charge of him. He too had trouble in "persuading" Coffin to go to the city calaboose.

Coffin also is now charged by the drunkenness, \$20 on a charge of having resisted an officer and \$25 for common assault on Green. The costs in each case were \$6.10.

Coffin also is now charge by the state with disturbance of the peace recently, on a complaint sworn to by his wife. The preliminary trial is set for hearing before Justice W. L. Johnson August 10. It has been postponed twice. The Coffin family lives above the Nunnally store, North Main street.

## Get License to Marry.

A marriage license was issued at St. Joseph yesterday to C. Leslie Atkinson and Miss Gladys M. Hagan, both of Guilford.

## To Chicago University.

Miss Mildred Miller and Miss Beulah Brunner of the State Normal school faculty will leave Saturday for Chicago university, Chicago, to take a special six weeks course of study.

## To Oklahoma Farm.

J. J. Bebout left yesterday for Okema, Okla., to look after his wheat crop. Mr. Bebout has a large farm near Okema.

## To California Monday.

Fred P. Robinson and daughter, Mildred, will start Monday morning for Los Angeles, Cal., to meet Mrs. Robinson and younger daughter, Virginia, who are there visiting Mrs. Robinson's sister, Mrs. Fletcher Irwin. Together the family will tour various places of interest in the west and will return to Maryville about September 1.

## RUSS LINES HOLD

TEUTONS ARE MAKING NO PROGRESS  
TOWARDS WARSAW NOW.

## BRIT CRITICS HOPEFUL

Fierce Counter Attacks Show Plenty of  
Fight is Left in Slavs—Germans  
Lose 500,000 Men.

London, July 29.—Although the Germans are using very strong reinforcements of men and guns, they have not yet succeeded in breaking the Russian resistance, either around Warsaw or in Kovno and Courland provinces, in each of which sectors heavy fighting has been in progress for nearly a fortnight.

Except for the capture of the village of Gowerowo, on the Narew front, and a number of prisoners and machine guns at that point and between Mitau and the Niemen, the German official report does not claim any advances. It is estimated that this new move on Warsaw has cost 500,000 men.

Mackenzies Stopped.

General von Buelow, in the north, and Field Marshal von Hindenburg, who crossed the Narew at some points, are being held up by Russian counter attacks, which, although probably costly to the Russians, show that there is still plenty of fight left in them.

In the southeast Field Marshal von Mackenzies' attack on the Lublin-Chelm railway seems for the moment to have come to a standstill, although he, too, is receiving reinforcements and assistance from the Austrians, who succeeded in crossing the Bug at Sokal.

To the west of Warsaw the Germans announce the capture of the village of Miorunow, which is about fifty miles west of the fort line of the city; so that not much progress has been made on this front.

There is a good deal in the German and Russian official reports which cannot be reconciled, but on the whole, the British critics are more hopeful than for some days that the Russians will succeed in withstanding this effort to capture Warsaw, as they did the previous attempts. The stubborn resistance of the grand duke's troops, together with the fact that the battle is being fought on ground of his choosing, has renewed the hope here that with a sufficient supply of munitions he will be able to inflict a strategic defeat on the Germanic allies.

## CIRCUS IN TOWN TOMORROW

Hugo Brothers' 3-Ring Show Comes in  
the Morning from Tarkio—To  
Be Street Parade.

The day of all days for the small boy and the real red-blooded man will be tomorrow, for it is on that day that the three-ring circus of Hugo Brothers, fresh from a tour abroad, is scheduled to arrive here from Tarkio for a day's stay.

The show is scheduled to arrive here by special train over the Wabash tomorrow morning, parade through the streets at 11 o'clock, and hold the first show at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon in the Holt pasture, directly across the tracks north of the Wabash passenger station. Another show will be held at 8 o'clock tomorrow night.

Besides the usual circus stunts, a small menagerie is carried, consisting of reptiles, two baby elephants, forty monkeys, an alligator and a few other animals not native to this country.

## CALL OFF "KID" BALL GAME.

Giants and Staberry Team Postpone  
Contest on Account of Rain.

The base ball game scheduled to have been played at Federal park yesterday afternoon between the Giants, captained by Russell Robey of Maryville, and a Staberry team was postponed on account of rain and inability of the Staberry team to come.

The management of the Staberry team has invited the Maryville Giants to go there for a game soon. No acceptance has yet been made.

## MARKET LIVE STOCK.

Many Nodaway County Stockmen  
Shipped to St. Joseph Market  
Yesterday.

Quite a number of Nodaway county farmers and stockmen marketed live stock in St. Joseph yesterday. Among the number were: A. N. Otis, Pickering; Sheley & Co., Hopkins; Halker & Co., Hopkins; J. E. Hart, Skidmore; T. Derk & Son, B. F. Dougan and J. B. Horton, Ravenwood; G. T. Clardy, Elmo; F. J. Wallace, J. W. Milbank and J. N. Billingsley, Clearmont; C. J. White, F. Brown, Slauson & Co., W. A. Lavinille and R. I. Bilby, Skidmore.

## Returns to Lathrop.

Leonard Frisbie of Lathrop, Mo., who has been attending the State Normal school, left yesterday for his home.

## CALL OFF BALL GAME TODAY

Boosters Defer Contest With St. Joseph  
All-Stars Until Next Week.  
Oregon Beats.

The base ball game scheduled to be played between the Maryville Boosters and the St. Joseph All-Stars, at the Normal grounds, this afternoon, has been postponed until next week on account of wet grounds, and indications of rain today. Manager Walter Hanson announced this morning. Fear that train service on the Burlington might be cut off to the south also caused the postponement of the game.

The All-Stars were defeated by the Oregon base ball team at Oregon last Sunday by the score of 3 to 5, indicating that either the Oregon team is exceptionally good or that the All Stars are weak.

## 2 MORE SUE T. W. COSTELLO

Conception Junction Merchant, Victim  
of Many Suits for Recovery  
on Unpaid Notes.

Two more civil suits, to recover on promissory notes alleged to have been given by T. W. Costello, merchant of Conception Junction, were appealed from justice court to the circuit court here today, for trial in the September term of court which begins September 27. Three suits for recovery on notes alleged to have been given by him and that remain unpaid, were appealed Monday and Tuesday from justice court by Costello.

One suit filed today by A. L. and M. Shuerman, copartners in the Kansas City Pant and Skirt company of Kansas City, alleges that Costello gave them a promissory note February 4, promising to pay \$127.50 within one month. When the case was tried before Justice R. L. McDougal recently, the plaintiff recovered for \$93.32.

The other suit, brought by the Merit Manufacturing company, alleges that Costello gave two notes, each for \$150, February 1, neither of which has been paid. When tried before Justice McDougal, the plaintiff recovered \$98.84 on one note and \$155.60 on the other. All five suits have been appealed by Costello.

## WANT MANY CARS IN PARADE

Boost for Chautauqua Will Be Held  
Tonight Preceding Band Concert—All Welcome.

An effort is being made today by those interested in getting as many automobile owners of the city as possible in the parade tonight to boost the Chautauqua, to be held at the Normal park August 6 to 12 inclusive. Unless the weather is threatening at that time, it is fully believed that the line will be quite long.

The parade is scheduled to start from in front of the Commercial club offices at 7 o'clock, thence go north. Only paved streets will be traversed, however, and the parade is open to anyone, especially those with loud horns or Claxons.

Penpans and banners advertising the Chautauqua will be placed on each car. After the parade they will be presented to the owner of the car for display until the Chautauqua ends. The parade will end before the band concert begins, at 8 o'clock.

## Miss Hehr's Condition Unchanged.

The condition of Miss Alpha Hehr, a niece of the Rev. and Mrs. Lewis M. Hale, who is very ill with appendicitis, was reported to be unchanged today. Miss Hehr became ill several days ago and her symptoms yesterday were serious. She came from Shelbyville recently to visit her uncle. Her parents and sister were called from Shelbyville Tuesday.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

## THE WEATHER

Partly cloudy tonight and Friday; not much change in temperature.

## Camp Out In Maryville

DURING CHAUTAUQUA WEEK  
August 6th to 12th

Comfortable Tents from \$4 to \$10  
per week.

## SIZES OF TENTS.

Sizes of Tents.  
12 x 14—3 1/2 foot wall.....\$4.00  
12 x 14—6 foot wall.....\$6.00  
12 x 16—6 foot wall.....\$7.00  
14 x 20—6 foot wall.....\$10.00

All orders must be in by August 2. Orders may be placed with F. P. Reuillard, 216 North Main street, Maryville, Missouri.

## PASS SIX TO M. U.

HALF DOZEN NODAWAY YOUNG  
MEN GET SCHOLARSHIPS.

## SENATOR CRAIG PICKS 3

Graham, Hopkins and Maryville Applicants Chosen—Representative  
Hyslop to Name 3 More.

Six young men of Nodaway county will get free tuition and all necessary fees paid to the University of Missouri for a term of two years, through the appointments of Senator Anderson Craig and Representative Charles Hyslop, according to the provisions of a law passed several years ago. Each has power to appoint three.

Senator Craig announced the appointment of the following young men this morning: Tighman White, employed at Englemann's greenhouse, son of C. D. White, a farmer living at the south end of Main street; John N. Geyer, son of Edward Geyer, merchant of Graham; David W. Robb, son of J. F. Robb of Hopkins.

Representative Hyslop has not yet made any appointments, but has received applications from Alva C. Hill of Graham and John McDougal, son of R. L. McDougal of Maryville.

Besides having their tuition paid, they are exempt from hospital, library and incidental fees, and receive special military instruction.

The first appointment made by Senator Craig, through the provisions of this law, was four years ago, in the appointment of Herschel Colbert, son of Prof. G. H. Colbert, who graduated from the University of Missouri last spring.

These six military cadets may enter the college of agriculture, college of arts and sciences or the school of engineering of the university.

## THE 'STINGER' HAS FLOWN

Victims in Accident Insurance Return  
When Prosecution is Dismissed  
by Court.

Another chapter to "The Stinger is Stung" was added today, with the return of Dennis Jones and Robert Campbell from Plattsburg, where they went to assist in the prosecution of a man believed to have been the "stinger." But alas and alack, and more woe, it was a different "stinger" than the one that was in our midst!

So when one of the officials of the Great Eastern Casualty company, which the local "stinger" was supposed to represent, failed to show up at Plattsburg yesterday to assist in the prosecution there was nothing to do but throw the charge against one W. P. T. Schroeder out of court.

Some others "stung" by the alleged "stinger" for \$250 each, which would insure them of all ailments for six months were: Albert Mack, George Bramble and Colonel J. Eads.

## MAY BE CONTINUED.

## ARRANGE BIG G.A.R. ENCAMPMENT

Expect 70,000 To Attend Annual Meeting—To Reproduce Civil War Review.

Elaborate preparations are being worked out for the accommodation of 70,000 Grand Army of the Republic veterans and their friends who will attend the Forty-Ninth annual encampment of the organization to be held in Washington from September 27 to October 2.

This forty-ninth encampment will celebrate the fiftieth anniversary of the grand review of the troops at the termination of the Civil war by President Johnson, and it is the plan of those in charge that at this encampment it may be reproduced, as nearly as possible. It is expected that President Wilson will review the veterans.

This probably will be the last great encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic because of the increasing death rate of the old soldiers. In addition to the G. A. R. encampment, conventions are to be held here at the same time by the Daughters of Veterans, Sons of Veterans, Women's Relief Corps, Ladies of the G. A. R., the Association of Union Prisoners of War, Naval Veterans and other kindred organizations. The Naval Defense League will hold a great conference on national defense immediately after the G. A. R. encampment.

## Wright Family Home.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wright and daughter, Lucile, returned last night from a trip of several weeks at Inwood, Ia. The Wrights drove to Inwood in their car, but were compelled to return home on the train on account of the road conditions.

## 2 HURT AS AUTO HITS RIG

Car Driven by Miss Anna Bainum  
Strikes Buggy of D. J. Busby  
at Bad Turn.

I. A. Fuller had his left shoulder strained and his head gashed and bruised, and Dean J. Busby, living seven miles south of Maryville, was slightly bruised when an automobile driven by Miss Anna Bainum collided with a two-horse rig driven by Busby, at Main and Edwards streets, at 11 o'clock last night.

Busby and Fuller, who is employed by Busby, were driving towards home from Maryville at the time of the accident, in a buggy drawn by two small bronchos. As they turned the corner by the home of C. C. Corwin the touring car, coasting down West Edwards street, crashed head-on into one of the horses.

## Horse Knocked Beneath Buggy.

The horse was knocked down and partly beneath the buggy, but not badly injured. The other horse, which was but slightly struck, wheeled, broke the buggy tongue, kicked loose from the harness and ran north on Main street, 2 blocks, where it was stopped. The buggy also was slightly damaged when it turned over towards the curb.

Busby jumped as quickly as possible when the crash occurred, but Fuller, who is about 50 years old, failed to jump at once. When he attempted to do so he fell with violent force on the street pavement. He alighted on his head and left shoulder, causing the injuries.

Fuller was taken to the office of Dr. K. C. Cummins, where his injuries were dressed, then taken to the Busby home.

Miss Bainum was accompanied by Miss Louise Marshall of Mound City at the time of the accident. Just previous to that they also were accompanied by Andy C. Cummins, part owner of the car. He had stopped at the Elks building and they had gone on for a ride, expecting him to join them on their return.

## Says He Saw No Car.

According to Busby, the car had no head lights when the accident occurred; or if it did they were so dim that he did not see them.

He said he knew nothing of the car's approach until the crash came. The car was coasting down the grade at the time, though only at a moderate rate, it is said.

There was no street light there at the time, it having been turned off but a short time previously, in accordance with the "moonlight" schedule.

According to Mr. Cummins the headlights on the car have not been working properly for some time, in that they occasionally flicker and nearly go out at times. It is believed that was the case when the accident occurred.

By a rather coincidence Cummins had apparently feared an accident soon. As True Hollowell was walking up the street at 7:30 o'clock last night with two signs, bearing the inscription "Not Responsible for Accidents," which were to be posted at the Federal park ball grounds, Cummins hailed him and asked that one of them be placed on the radiator of his car. Scarcely three hours later the car had crashed into the buggy driven by Busby.

## Was Dangerous Corner.

Though no serious accidents have been known to ever occur at Main and Edwards street, the corner has always been considered a dangerous one, from the fact that the turn was a sharp one, and there is a down grade from Buchanan street, off which many tourists turn in coming to Maryville from the west and south.

Recently the city street department eliminated some of the danger by rounding the corner, widening the pavement on Main street and cutting into the parking.

Fuller has been employed by Busby for some time. He came there from near Skidmore, where he was employed by Burman Wells.

## Dyson's to Return.

Prof. and Mrs. Joseph William Dyson of Fayette, Mo., who have been visiting Mrs. Dyson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Sheldon, expect to leave tomorrow for their home.

## 102 RISING HERE 15 INCHES AN HOUR

HEAVY RAIN NORTH, SENDS COUN-  
TY RIVER OVER BANKS.

## BURLINGTON EXPECTS FULL SERVICE FRIDAY

Track Tied Up Between Maryville and  
Conway—Wabash Delayed by  
Surface Water.

The river was rising at the rate of fifteen inches an hour east of Maryville, and was running over the state road between the two bridges, and also west of the municipal water plant at 2 o'clock this afternoon, according to Chief Engineer Bert Hilsabeck. The river also is overflowing on the east side of the river.

The heavy rain in southern Iowa, which has caused floods in the 102 again, as well as smaller streams there, is partially tying up service on this branch of the Burlington. Trains are being operated only between St. Joseph and Maryville, and from Conway Crossing to Creston, although there is indication, local officials say, that through service will be possible tomorrow morning.

The usual passenger and freight train service is being operated where trains can run. Two work trains are now at work on the line, one between Pickering and Hopkins, where ballast was washed from under 200 feet of track and another north of Conway.

## Wabash is Delayed.

An effort is being made to have the track repaired late this afternoon so that No. 10 could be operated as far north as Bedford, Ia., tonight, it is believed. Unless through service is possible, however, it is said the train will be operated no farther than Maryville, however.

The Wabash is experiencing delays, but no track damage through the effects of the heavy rain, local officials report. The surface water has washed on the track many places, though, which necessitates the operation of trains slightly behind schedule.

Normal service was restored on the Chicago Great Western today, after a delay yesterday in the operation of trains.

## Flood Covers Tracks at Pickering.

At Pickering the rise in the 102 is reported to be almost equal to the flood of two weeks ago. The water is out of the banks and over all the lowlands and covers the railroad tracks for considerable distance both north and south of Pickering. The water has been practically at a standstill since noon.

Hopkins, the first station north of Pickering, reports the river bank full and out of its channel in the low places. No rise was perceptible after midnight last night, and a slight but steady fall has been noticeable since noon today.

## Platte Conditions Fairly Good.

The Platte river, while very high, is still within its banks and there has been no trouble with the Great Western train service other than a slight delay in the regular time schedule.

At both Parnell and Ravenwood the river was reported to be bank full at noon today, and the water has been at a standstill since morning. At Conception Junction conditions are not quite so good. The Platte is out of its banks along the low places, but not enough to cause any particular damage at present. Unless there be additional rain no trouble with either the Wabash or Great Western trains will result from the overflow.

## No Overflow in Nodaway.

The reports from towns along the Nodaway give no rise in the water since morning at the stations north of Quitman. The river is not out of its banks except at several low places in the bottoms near Quitman. At Skidmore the rise was slight this morning, but the river is practically within its banks. The Villisca branch trains along this route are running on schedule today.

## Tonight

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An exceptional production of a beautiful  
Romance.

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A romance of a jitney bus, featuring Fay  
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If anybody wants to locate the center of wetness, Nodaway county wants to be considered.

The commission form of government seems to have gotten a black eye in the city of Nashville, Tenn. On account of the failure of the city treasurer to account for \$10,000, the city has been thrown into a receivership just like a wrecked business institution, and the receivers will endeavor to bring order out of the chaotic conditions. The commission form of government in municipalities has been heralded as the one perfect way to secure both honesty and efficiency, but in this case it seems to have signally failed in one or the other.

Announcement that the Missouri state fair will have a "fried chicken day" on September 1 emphasizes the large part which poultry will play in this year's event. The state poultry experiment station at Mountain Grove will fit up a model 10-acre poultry farm on the fair grounds, which should not only acquaint present chicken growers with the details of a successful business, but induce poultry culture by those who do not know the fascination and profit in the business when properly conducted.—Drovers Telegram.

The proposition to secure connections with the Iowa main line of the Burlington at Creston should be pushed with vigor. It would seem to be an easy matter to provide if the road wants to do it. With a notori-

ously bad roadbed and an equally poor service, there ought to be some redeeming feature to which the patrons of this line may look with satisfaction. There is enough time wasted in long stops at stations to make up the time necessary, and it would be most agreeable to passengers to have this time eliminated. It is said that much time is needed on account of loading and unloading cream cans, but cream is also shipped on the main lines and they are handled there without unnecessary loss of time. The matter of fact is that it has become the custom to give all the service to the main lines and to milk the branch lines on the least possible feed.

### SAVING DURING DULL TIMES.

A New York banker in Kansas City a few days ago said the west would need no money from the east this year to help move her crops, that the west had grown rich and independent and that her bank deposits had reached unprecedented proportions. Asked for an explanation of the latter statement, he said that the business depression and the subsequent demoralization in the commercial world caused by the European war had caused the people generally to slow up on their growing extravagances, and everybody, he says, has taken to a more economical mode of living, cutting off the luxuries to which they had been accustomed, and the result was a great growth in individual savings. When times are universally rated good people have no fear of spending what they make, and many borrow on the future in order to keep pace with their fellows, but when a jar comes to the business world the public quickly runs to cover and seeks to lay by something for the proverbial rainy day. And thus is a depression a blessing in disguise.

### This Is Billiards.

Billiards is one of the most popular games now. It consists of punching ivory balls about on a table covered with green cloth, with long wooden ramrods.—From "Fifty Years Ago" column of St. Joseph Gazette.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven Catarrh to be a constitutional disease, and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only Constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.

Address: F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio. Sold by Druggists, 75c. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

## \* STOCK MARKET \*

CHICAGO.  
Cattle—4,000. Market steady. Estimate tomorrow, 1,500.  
Hogs—24,000. Market 10c lower; top, \$7.60. Estimate tomorrow, 15,000.  
Sheep—12,000. Market strong.  
KANSAS CITY.  
Cattle—2,000. Market steady.  
Hogs—4,500. Market slow; top, \$7.45.  
Sheep—1,000. Market strong.  
ST. JOSEPH.  
Cattle—6,000. Market steady.  
Hogs—7,500. Market 10c lower; top, \$7.15.  
Sheep—2,500. Market strong.

### NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Sealed proposals will be received at the office of W. A. Rickenbrode, registrar of the Fifth District Normal school of Missouri, at Maryville, Mo., until 1 o'clock p. m., on the 30th day of July, 1915, for the installation of additions to the heating system of its main building. Proposals must be in accordance with the plans and specifications, copies of which may be had at the office of the registrar in Maryville, Mo., on or after July 24th. A deposit of a certified check for twenty-five (\$25.00) dollars will be required to guarantee the safe return of said plans and specifications. Proposals for this contract must be accompanied by a certified check for two hundred and fifty (\$250.00) dollars, amount made payable to George M. Kemp, treasurer, as a guarantee that should the bidder be awarded the contract he will execute the contract and give satisfactory bond within five days provided for in the specifications, or in case of failure to do so, said check to be forfeited and retained by the board as liquidated damages. The successful bidder will be required to enter into contract to have the work specified completed by the 14th day of September, 1915, or forfeit the sum of twenty (\$20.00) dollars per day for each and every day thereafter that work remains unfinished. The board reserves the right to reject any or all proposals.

THE LADIES OF  
BAPTIST CHURCH  
WILL HAVE  
Market at Price & McNeal's  
All Day Saturday, July 31

## Remember

Cat Fish Tomorrow  
20 cents  
a pound

Crappie Tomorrow  
15 cents  
a pound

They are the Best  
We Can Buy. A  
Real Delicacy  
for Your Friday  
Dinner.

Don't Forget to  
Phone Your Orders  
Early so that  
Delivery Will Be  
Prompt.

And we are ready  
with the other  
lines of the best  
of meats.

Forsyth's

## OPPOSE BOND ISSUE PLAN

John A. Zeck, Mount Ayr, Believes Township Proposition Should Be Voted Down—Gives Reasons.  
Here is one citizen of Polk township who openly expresses opposition to the proposition to vote bonds to improve road conditions in Polk township and gives reasons for so opposing. He is John A. Zeck of the Mount Ayr neighborhood. His letter to the Democrat-Forum on the topic follows:

## Townsend's

FOURTH AND MAIN STREETS

Quote These Low  
Values For

## Friday's Grocery Sale

Pound pkgs best Lump Starch, 10c size, 4c; or 4 for.....15c  
Jelly Glasses, the new style squat jars with tin tops, doz.....19c  
5 bars Rub No More or P. & G. Naptha Soap.....19c  
Sardines, American quarters, in oil, 7 cans for.....25c  
Golden Santos Coffee, fresh roasted, 30c coffee, 2 lbs for.....50c  
4½ lbs for.....\$1.00  
Snider's Catsup, 25c bottles, 2 for 35c  
Quart cans Imported Olive Oil.....85c  
25c Mason jars Pickles, sweet or sour, for.....20c  
25c pound can California Tuna Fish, 20c; 3 for.....50c  
Pound cans Rumford Baking Powder for.....21c  
Pink Salmon, 1-lb tall cans, 10c; doz for.....\$1.10  
Red Alaska Salmon, 1-lb tall cans, best quality—3 cans for.....50c  
12 cans for.....\$1.55  
Fresh Tomatoes, lb.....5c  
2 pkgs Uncle Sam's Health Food.....25c  
¼-lb Hershey's or Baker's Cocoa.....15c  
New Sweet Potatoes, 4 lbs.....25c  
6 bars Big Ben Laundry Soap.....25c  
Full Cream Wisconsin Cheese, 5 lbs for.....90c  
Sweet Sugar Corn, fine pack, 6 cans for 35c; 3 cans.....25c  
Blue Valley Creamery Butter, first quality, lb.....30c

If You Purchase From Us  
Your Supply of

Old Wheat Flour

You get the utmost satisfaction. None of our flour is made from mixed wheat which you know means both trouble and waste.

Smoked Herring skinned and boned, per lb.....15c  
Big size juicy Lemons, doz.....25c  
Macaroni or Spaghetti, the best, two 10c pkgs.....15c  
Jello, all flavors, also ice cream powder, 10c pkgs, 2 for.....15c  
Peas, sifted Early June, 15c kind, 3 for.....20c  
10c pkgs Ivory Powdered Starch, 3 pkgs.....20c  
Laundry Soap, Lenox or White Russian, 8 bars, 25c; 17 bars.....50c  
Fat Chicken, choice Peaches, good Bananas, Cantaloupes, Sun Kist Oranges.  
The first lot of good Missouri Watermelons will be in Maryville Saturday or Monday. We will have choice ones at prices from 25c to 35c.

TOWNSENDS

Mount Ayr, Mo., July 26, 1915.—Editor Democrat-Forum:

I see in your columns that the township board wants information regarding the sentiment of the people as to a new bond issue. When the late bond issue of \$50,000 was under way, the people had hoped that the culvert question would be settled once for all, that the money would be spent economically and that the work would be done by competent men.

In fact these things were assured them by men who were very much in favor of that bond issue. Of course we had the bonds and we had the money, but we have no roads.

Here is a case in point. Just west of Mount Ayr school house there had been a wooden bridge, constructed not by scientifically trained men but by common every day people right in this neighborhood. This bridge was there for over twenty years. It has had equally as much water pass under it, as fell this time and I honestly believe it would have been there yet, had it not been taken out.

Now there is a concrete culvert there. Of course it is there yet, but the road is gone. Faulty construction is the cause, in fact I have heard people refer to those new culverts at rat holes.

Now in view of these facts, the people of this community will probably not assist in voting more bonds, at least not for a generation. Of course I can not speak for the whole of Polk township, but this is the sentiment here.

JOHN A. ZECK.

Take a

Reall Orderlies

Tonight

It will act as a laxative in the morning

Crear-Henry Drug Co.

PICKERING CHAUTAUQUA ENDS.

Final Entertainment Will Be Held Tonight—Was Well Attended.

The final number of the Pickering Chautauqua, which opened Saturday, will be given tonight. The entertainments have been well attended so far and they have been of a high class, enjoyed by everyone.

The storm of Tuesday night and the resulting road conditions decreased the attendance yesterday and today. The week has been a successful one, even with that, and will be repeated next year.

MARYVILLE DRUGGIST

PLEASES CUSTOMERS

The Koch Pharmacy reports customers greatly pleased with the quick action of simple buckthorn bark, glycerine, etc., as mixed in Adler-I-ka. This simple remedy drains the old foul matter from the bowels so thorough that one spoonful relieves almost any case of constipation, sour or gassy stomach. It is so powerful that it is used successfully in appendicitis. Adler-I-ka never gripes and the instant action is surprising.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

## Remus'

For Your  
Friday Order

48 pound Sack Gold Dollar Hig's Old Wheat Flour only \$1.80  
3 packages of Table Salt 10c  
Quart Bottle Household Ammonia 10c  
3 packages Rub No More Washing Powder 10c  
2 cakes Lilac Rose Glycerine Soap 15c  
1 dozen Fresh Corn, 10c.  
8 bars Quick Wash White Laundry Soap, 25c.  
3 cans Early June Peas, 25c.  
4 lbs Dry Onions, 10c.  
Quart can Pork and Beans, 10c.  
Tall can Pink Salmon, 10c.  
Frontier brand Yellow Free Peaches, per can, 20c.  
4 cans Wisconsin Corn, 25c.  
New Cabbage, per lb, 2c.  
Elberta Peaches, basket, 20c.  
Blue Valley Creamery Butter, 30c.  
6 Heavy Water Glasses, 20c.

Remus'

Just Two More Days

OF OUR

Great July  
Clearing Sale

Haines

The Store That is Anxious to Please You

Open Your Savings Account Now

Lay the Foundation of your Fortune by  
Opening a Savings Account Today

Deposits of One Dollar and  
upwards Received in our  
Savings Department.

Interest Paid Twice  
A Year

Oldest Bank in The County

NODAWAY VALLEY BANK  
A BANK FOR SAVINGS  
MARYVILLE — MISSOURI

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

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\$1,635,000 Hidden

In This Year's Goodyear Tires

Here are amazing facts:

Goodyear Fortified Tires contain five costly features found in no other tire. They have other features not common.

If we omitted those features, this year's probable output would cost us \$1,635,000 less. We could add that much to our profits. And you would never know it until troubles came.

This year's improvements alone will cost us \$500,000 yearly. Most of this goes into extra rubber—all into extra wear. And we shall spend on research \$100,000 this year to find other betterments still.

Users Save  
\$5,000,000

Yet our 1915 price reduction—made February 1st—will save Goodyear users about \$5,000,000 this year. And that was our third reduction in two years, totaling 45 per cent.

These extra features—used by us alone—will save users millions more.

That's why Goodyears dominate. They have long outlasted any other. They are gaining new users faster than we can supply them. We hope, for your own sake, that they'll soon win you. Any dealer will supply you.

GOOD YEAR  
AKRON, OHIO  
Fortified Tires  
No Rim-Cut Tires—“On-Air” Cured  
With All-Weather Treads of Smooth

Goodyear Service Stations  
Tires in Stock

MARYVILLE, Missouri, Barman Auto Company  
BARNARD, Missouri, McCleave Hardware Company  
BURLINGTON JUNCTION, Missouri, Fred Grifley  
CLEARMONT, Missouri, E. A. Pence Garage  
ELMO, Missouri, Rucker & Company  
HOPKINS, Missouri, Mott & Jerns  
MAITLAND, Missouri, Mott & Lee Smith  
RAVENWOOD, Missouri, Ravenwood Auto Company  
SHERIDAN, Missouri, Wm. Clev



**MARY SEE "WHITE SISTER."**

Fern Portrays Viola Allen in Movie—  
To Show "The Isle of Regeneration" Soon.

A large crowd witnessed the photoplay of "The White Sister," with Viola Allen featuring, at the Fern theater last night.

The next feature film of considerable note to be given at the Fern will

be shown next Wednesday night, when a photoplay of "The Isle of Regeneration," by Cyrus Townsend Brady, will be placed on the screen. Edith Storey takes the leading role.

**Fine a Drunk \$5.**

Marion Ray of Burlington Junction, was fined \$5 and costs in police court this morning, when he pleaded guilty to a charge of drunkenness. He paid.

## 20% Discount ON ALL SUITINGS Dietz and Keck

## Shirt Sale

Your unrestricted choice of any  
Style or Pattern in our stock.  
Full Assortments.

All \$1.50 Qualities now **\$1.25**  
or Two or More at **\$1.15**  
All \$2.00 Qualities now **\$1.45**  
All \$3.50 Qualities now **\$2.75**

**Roy W. Pettit**  
The Toggery Shop

## GRAHAM'S

220 NORTH MAIN STREET

### Two Days More

Friday, July 30 and  
Thursday July 31

On Sale 10 o'clock a. m., Friday, July 30.

**LACE CURTAINS.** 9c

Manufacturer's sample lace curtain strips, values to \$1.50 a pair.

On Sale 10 o'clock a. m., Saturday, July 31.

**BLUE ENAMELWARE.** 9c

First quality blue enamelware, 4-qt. preserving kettle, 4-qt. handled sauce pans, 10-qt. water pail, 4-qt. covered kettle, values 25c to 40c.

### Brown and White Cooking Ware

9c

6, 7 and 8-inch mixing  
bowls, finest quality white  
lined brown cooking ware.

### 8½-inch Steamers

9c

Regulation size steamers  
of good quality tin, 2  
side handles, covered.

### 18c to 35c Lace Banding

9c

Wide lace banding,  
cluny, shadow, fillet and  
Oriental laces, very special  
for this sale.

### 1-Quart Ball Brand Jars, 2 for 9c

The genuine Ball brand  
Mason pattern fruit jars,  
1-quart size specially priced  
during this sale.

### 10-Quart Tin Pails

9c

Good quality tin Dairy  
Pails, heavy roll top  
flange bottom, heavy ball,  
worth 18c.

### Star-Cut Sugar and Creamers

9c

Heavy hand cut star pattern  
sugar and creamers,  
highly finished, worth 35c  
a pair.

### Souvenir China

9c

Slippers, hair receivers,  
plates, creamers, vases,  
etc., 2 for 9c.

### 6-oz. Jelly Glasses

6 for 9c

Fluted and plain jelly  
glasses, each fitted with  
tight fitting cover.

### 5c Parlor Matches

4 Boxes

Regular 5c size boxes,  
best quality silent, non-  
poisonous matches.

### 25c Qual. Box Paper

9c

Fine white ware plate  
and cloth finish papers in  
beautifully lithographed  
boxes.

### 5c White Laundry Soap, 3 Bars

9c

Pearly Wave, best quality  
white laundry soap,  
guaranteed free from all  
injurious substances.

### Good Quality Pearl Buttons, 6 doz.

9c

Good quality fresh water  
pearl buttons—the  
grade usually sold at four  
dozen for 10c.

## SIX BLAMED IN EASTLAND CASE

Captain, Engineer and Two Inspectors Are Named.

### CLEAN BILL FOR PASSENGERS.

Investigating Body Urges Half Dozen, Including Two Officials of Ship Companies, Be Held on Charges of Manslaughter—Boat Improperly Built.

Chicago, July 29.—A coroner's jury returned a verdict placing the blame for the loss of hundreds of lives by the capsizing of the steamer Eastland in the Chicago river Saturday on six men.

William H. Hull, general manager of the Chicago St. Joseph Steamship company, owner of the Eastland.

Captain Harry Pedersen of the Eastland.

J. M. Erickson, engineer.

Robert Reid, federal inspector of steamships, who gave the Eastland license to carry 2,500 passengers, July 2.

J. C. Ecklin, federal inspector of steamships.

W. K. Greenbaum, general manager of the Indiana Transportation company, lessee of the Eastland.

The jury recommended that these men be held to a grand jury on indictment on charges of manslaughter.

The jury found that the passengers were not in any way to blame for the capsizing of the ship. It recommends further investigation by the coroner and other officers to determine whether the men named and others may be guilty of negligence or of contributing in any way to the cause of the disaster.

After starting with the recommendation that the men named be held to the grand jury on the charge of manslaughter and for such other offenses as the facts may warrant, the verdict continues: "It is our judgment that the steamboat Eastland was both improperly constructed and improperly loaded, operated and maintained, and that the parties named are responsible."

Crew Was Used to Boat Listing. Peter Erickson, an officer on the Eastland, a brother of J. M. Erickson, chief engineer, testified at the coroner's inquest it was the custom to empty the ballast tanks on the Eastland when the vessel docked, and that on orders from the engineer he opened the valves to empty four ballast tanks on the morning of the disaster.

"Later when the boat listed very badly they sent me up to see if the boat was caught on the dock."

"I don't know whether the boat caught on the dock or not," said the boy. "When I got up on the second deck the water was pouring in and I had just time to grab the dock and climb out."

"Was there much excitement in the engine room while the boat was listing?"

"No," replied Erickson. "We were used to the boat listing. It always listed to one side or the other."

Erickson said his brother, the engineer, since the accident had told him he thought the boat stuck on the bottom or that there were too many people on board.

**Funeral of 700 Victims.** The funeral of almost 700 victims of the Eastland disaster took place at Chicago.

Facilities were lacking properly to handle the funerals and services over as many as thirty bodies were held simultaneously in a church. Because there are not enough steam and electric funeral trains and hearses, the dead were removed to cemeteries in various sorts of conveyances. In many cases motor trucks which carried several coffins were used. In the vicinity of the Western Electric plant where most of the victims were employed the funeral processions blocked traffic.

### GRAIN AND PROVISIONS

Closing Quotations on the Chicago Board of Trade.

Chicago, July 29.—Closing prices: Wheat—July, \$1.14; Sept., \$1.07½.

Corn—July, 80½c; Sept., 74½c.

Oats—July, 55½c; Sept., 53½c.

Pork—Sept., \$13.30; Oct., \$13.45.

Lard—Sept., \$7.75; Oct., \$7.85.

Ribs—Sept., \$9.32½; Oct., \$9.30.

Chicago Cash Prices—No. 2 hard wheat, new, \$1.15¼@1.18; No. 2 yellow corn, \$1¼@1½c; No. 3 white oats, 52@53½c; standard, 55@55½c.

### Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, July 29.—Cattle—Receipts 12,000; weak; native beef steers, \$6.21@10.25; westerns, \$6.85@8.15; cows and heifers, \$3.25@9.15; calves, \$7.50@11.

Hogs—Receipts, 24,000; slow and 5c lower; bulk of sales, \$6.50@7.10; light, \$7.20@7.75; mixed, \$6.50@7.60; heavy, \$6.20@7.10; rough, \$6.20@6.40; pigs, \$6.75@7.05.

Sheep—Receipts, 16,000; steady; sheep, \$5.85@6.80; lambs, \$6.25@6.50.

### South Omaha Live Stock.

South Omaha, July 29.—Cattle—Receipts, 1,700; steady to strong; beef steers, \$7.50@9.75; cows and heifers, \$4.40@8.50; stockers and feeders, \$5.51@8.40; bulls, \$5.50@7.25; calves, \$8@9.75.

Hogs—Receipts, 10,500; 10¢-15¢ lower; \$6.25@6.35; mixed, \$6.31@6.40; light, \$6.60@7.35.

Sheep—Receipts, 7,500; 25¢ higher; lambs, \$7@8.40; westerns, \$5.25@6.25; ewes, \$4.71@6.15; yearling, \$5.75@6.50.

## SOCIETY and CLUBLAND

By KATE SCHENCK  
PHONES—OFFICE 42. HOME 683

### Hagins Dinner Party.

Mr. and Mrs. Newton Hagins gave a dinner last night in their home, on East Seventh street, complimentary to Mr. and Mrs. George Smith of Alliance, Neb., who are visiting in the city. Plates were laid for Mr. and Mrs. Smith and young son, Ernest Maxwell; Mr. and Mrs. William Wade Smith, Donald Hagins, and the hosts and son, Wesley.

### Miss Parle Gives Dinner.

Miss Anna Parle gave a dinner party at noon yesterday at the Parle home, on West First street, entertaining in honor of a number of Kansas City friends who are visiting in Maryville. Plates were laid for Miss Regina Hayden, Miss Kathleen McShane, Leo McShane, Charles Geary, John McShane, John Francis and Clement Hayden, all of Kansas City, Miss Grace Parle and the hostess.

### Epworth League to Entertain.

The Epworth League of the First Methodist church will give a lawn social Monday night, August 2, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Hulet, 319 West Twelfth street. Should the weather be inclement, the gathering will be held indoors. Each member of the league is allowed to invite their friends, and the committee in charge desires that the members see to it that all Normal students who are league members or friends of the leaguers be extended an invitation.

### Observes First Birthday.

Thomas Clark Collins celebrated his first birthday anniversary Monday, and in honor of the event his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Collins, gave a dinner party in the evening at their apartment, on North Main street. Plates were laid for Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Clark, Mrs. May Denny, Miss Besse Scott, Miss Amy Clark and the Collins family. A movie party followed the dinner.

### Sorority Entertained.

Mrs. Lieber Holmes, Miss Irene Kemp and Miss Marie Reuillard entertained the members of the Sigma Delta Chi sorority with an evening at forty-two last night at the home of Miss Kemp. The rooms were adorned with quantities of nasturtiums, and the colors of yellow, green and white were carried out in the game favors and refreshments. The prize was won by Miss Phyllis Saylor. Among the visiting members present was Mrs. John I. Hoffman of Washington, D. C., who is visiting her mother, Mrs. Melissa Castee.

### Wedding Guests Leave.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Flynn and daughter, Helen; Mr. and Mrs. William Flynn and Miss Margaret Kelley of Kansas City, and Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Walsh and children of St. Joseph, who came to Maryville to attend the Sturm-Flynn wedding yesterday morning, left yesterday afternoon for their homes. O. Edward Sturm, a brother of the bride, who came to be present at the marriage, left this morning for his home in Oklahoma City, Okla. His wife and children will remain for a several weeks' visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Q. Smith.

### For Mrs. Tunstall.

The Misses Lenore and Rose Schumacher entertained a few friends last night in compliment to Mrs. George Tunstall of Kansas City, who is visiting her brother, Augustus Romasser, and Mrs. Romasser. Guests were invited for two tables of bridge. Among the out-of-town friends present was Miss Mary Schaeber of Reading Pa., who is visiting her sister, Mrs. D. J. Thomas.

### Mrs. Price Entertains.

Mrs. John P. Price extended her hospitality yesterday afternoon to the members of the Penelope club, entertaining them with a Kensington and luncheon at her home, on West Sixth street. Mrs. Price was assisted during the entertaining hours by Mrs. R. S. Branger, Mrs. J. M. Smith and Mrs. Ellis Garrett. Among the visiting folk present were the hostess' mother, Mrs. Gray; Mrs. Ellis Garrett, Mrs. Ralph Price and Mrs. Ida Armstrong.

### Mrs. Otis Hostess.

The I X L club members enjoyed a pleasant afternoon yesterday at the home of Mrs. Edward Otis, on East First street. The hours were spent with needlework and in the serving of luncheon. Mrs. Otis was assisted by Mrs. Aaron Felix, Mrs. O. W. Swinford and Miss Anna Byrnes. Those entertained beside the club members were Mrs. Aaron Felix and her sister, Miss Anna Byrnes of Denver, Col., who is her guest, Mrs. Charles Awalt of St. Joseph, who is visiting her mother, Mrs. J. T. Linnville, and Mrs. J. I. Hoffman of Washington, D. C., who is visiting her mother, Mrs. M. Castee.

### Farewell Merry-making.

The employees of the Alderman-Yehle dry goods store gave a supper last night in the basement rooms of the store as a farewell pleasure for Elmore Frank, who leaves Tuesday, August 3, for New York City to enter New York university. After the supper the entire crowd was entertained by C. W. Yehle and J. D. Frank with a theater party at the Empire. Those in the party were Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Yehle and sons, Eugene, Ralph, Carlos and Cleo; Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Frank and sons, Elmore, Ellison and James D. Jr.; Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Suckow and daughter, Fern; Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Tracy and daughter, Thelma; Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Allan, Miss Gertrude Condon, Miss Hazel Porter, Miss Hilda Lahr, Miss Emma Jane Crandall, Mrs. Lois Long, Mrs. Verna Murphy, Mrs. Gay Leeper, Misses Katherine and Theresa Yehle, Miss Mollie Hall, Miss Nellie Campbell and Miss Ora Saunders.

A very pleasant surprise party was given Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Wolfer of Conception Junction in honor of the fiftieth birthday anniversary of Mr. Wolfer. At noon a sumptuous dinner was enjoyed and the afternoon spent with various amusements. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Wolfer, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Weiderholt, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Bille, Mr. and Mrs. August King, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Wobbe, Mr. and Mrs. John Allen, Mr. and Mrs. James Sullivan, Mr. and Mrs. Phil Waller, Mr. and Mrs. Julius Strube, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Abels and son, Leonard; Mr. and Mrs. Aloys Henggeier, Mr. and Mrs. Eli Schreiber and daughter, Mary; Mr. and Mrs. John Schreiber, Jr., and daughters, Rosie and Margaret; Mr. and Mrs. Clem King and daughter, Cecelia; Mrs. Catherine Wirth, Mrs. Albert Henggeier, Misses Catharine Kieber, Anna and Josephine Meyer, Agatha, Mary and Josephine Wolfer, Odila and Gertrude Walter, Anna and Monica Sullivan, Pauline and Mary Abels.

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## Alderman Yehle Dry Goods Co.

WEST THIRD STREET, MARYVILLE, MO.

# Special Values

WE are anxious to close out the remainder of our Summer Goods, and in order to do so are making some very interesting reductions. If you have not supplied your wants for the entire season now is your opportune time.

### Dainty Summer Dresses

We have a beautiful assortment of the new styles and weaves in Summer Dresses. These have been divided into special lots as follows:

LOT 1—\$15.00, \$12.50 and \$10.00 grade for..... **\$7.50**

LOT 2—\$8.75, \$7.50 and \$6.50 grade for..... **\$5.00**

LOT 3—\$6.00, \$5.50 and \$4.50 grade for..... **\$3.95**

### Piece Goods Assortment

We have assembled a large assortment of Crepe, Linen Suitings, Plain Tub Silk, Ratine, Eponge, etc., assorted colors, from 27 inches to 36 inches wide, value to \$1.50, Special at the yard..... **25c**

### Summer Footwear

Our entire stock of Pumps, Slippers and Oxfords are reduced as follows:

\$5.00 grade for..... **\$3.95**  
\$4.50 grade for..... **\$3.75**  
\$4.00 grade for..... **\$3.40**  
\$3.50 grade for..... **\$2.98**  
\$3.00 grade for..... **\$2.55**  
\$2.50 grade for..... **\$2.13**  
\$2.25 grade for..... **\$1.90**  
\$2.00 grade for..... **\$1.70**

Other grades reduced in proportion.

### EXTRA SPECIAL

The very latest fabric Footwear trimmed with colored leather, in White and Black, White and Green and Palm Beach and Tan Combination.

\$3.50 grade while they last at only the pair..... **\$1.75**

### Silk Petticoats

We have one assorted lot of Silk Underskirts, values to \$4.50, assorted colors and sizes, offered now at each..... **\$2.50**  
Other Silk Underskirts at a reduction.

## WANTED

Owners of Autos regardless of where you live—to call at Fair Headquarters and get

## Safety First Bulletin and Fair Banner

Help us to advertise the Big Fair in the Best County in the state, Maryville, Mo., Aug. 30, 31, Sept. 1, 2, 3, 4

**J. A. Ford, Mgr.**



## NOT ROASTING OF FEAT

Territorials Bring Down British 'Plane With Their Rifles.

South End, England, July 29.—Two companies of territorials stationed near here brought down an aeroplane with rifle fire, but they are not doing any boasting over their feat, for the victim proved to be a British army machine.

The territorials responsible for such an accurate but unfortunate feat of marksmanship were guarding Canvey Island, where huge quantities of war munitions are stored, and they had instructions to shoot at any aviator flying over the island without giving an agreed signal to indicate that he was not on a hostile errand. The victim of their marksmanship either did not know of their rule or ignored it, and when he got within range, a volley was fired at him. None of the bullets struck the aviator, but one punctured the aeroplane's gasoline tank and he was compelled to alight.

When the territorials ran up to complete their triumph by taking the aviator prisoner, they were greeted with a volley of strong language. The profanity was unmistakably English.

## Kaiser May Not Answer Last Note.

London, July 29.—The Cologne Gazette published a wireless dispatch from Washington containing the suggestion that "in order to avoid the further excitement of public opinion in America" Germany should not reply to the American note unless it is able to give a favorable answer, says a telegram from Amsterdam. The Cologne Gazette considers the message well worthy of consideration.

## Leelanaw Captain Has No Complaint.

Washington, July 29.—Consul Denison at Dundee, Scotland, reported to the state department that the captain of the American ship Leelanaw stated under oath he had "endeavored to escape" and only brought his ship to a stop after two warning shots were fired at him at a distance of two miles. He had no complaint to make of his treatment by the submarine officers.

## War Satisfactory to England.

London, July 29.—Premier Asquith, in moving adjournment of parliament until Sept. 14, said that the war situation is satisfactory, that German submarines will inflict no substantial injury to British trade, that more recruits are enlisting, and that the war has become a contest of endurance.

## Archbishop Hanna Installed.

San Francisco, July 29.—Most Rev Edward J. Hanna, D. D., was installed as archbishop of San Francisco here with impressive ceremonies. He succeeds the late Archbishop Riordan who died Dec. 27, 1914, after a service of thirty-one years.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

## Wall Paper

ANNUAL CLEARANCE SALE DURING JULY  
7 1/2¢ a roll up  
ARNETT'S

## CHICHESTER'S PILLS

THE DIAMOND BRAND.  
Ladies! Ask your Druggist for Chichester's Diamond Brand Pills in Red and Gold Metallic Boxes, sealed with Blue Ribbon. Take as directed. Buy of your Druggist. Ask for CHICHESTER'S DIAMOND BRAND PILLS for 25 years known as Best, Safest, Always Reliable. SOLD BY DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE.

## The Route That Offers Most To Exposition Tourists

It's an investment that means a lot—your trip to the California Exposition. You should buy the ticket that will pay the biggest dividends in scenic enjoyment, in attractive and interesting points reached—in luxurious, smoothly-handled train service.

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Stop-overs allowed at any point and 90 days to make the trip. Stop in and get your copy of our California Exposition folder, next time you're going by.

W. E. GOFORTH, Ticket Agent THAT REMINDS ME! If you are going to take advantage of your home-land rights, you have no time to waste. A few years from now the good land will all be gone. Now, you can secure a good 50-acre irrigated or 200-acre Modelled homestead on mighty attractive terms. Let me send you particulars—free. S. B. Howard, Immigration Agent, 1904 Farnum St., Omaha, Neb.

## STACK YOUR WHEAT, ADVICE.

Means Less Help Needed, Better Straw, Higher Prices and Better Grain.

Unless some unforeseen calamity should occur the wheat crop this year will exceed the phenomenal crop of last year, and will probably be more than 700,000,000 bushels of winter wheat alone. This means that the threshing outfits, railroads, elevators, etc., will be crowded to the utmost and a great part of the grain will stand in the field for weeks. Therefore, it should be stacked.

Stacking will save grain and straw which might otherwise be spoiled in wet weather.

Stacking will put grain through a complete sweat which will improve its quality.

Threshing from the stack requires less help than shock threshing, which will equalize the cost of stacking.

Stacking furnishes good storage with absolutely no cost which would prevent glutting the market at any one time.

The grain must be removed for early working of the soil. Stacking makes it possible to plow following harvesting. Early plowing is one of the greatest factors in the increasing of the yield. Discing the land early is the next best thing.—Elmo Register.

A Bald Head Only Indicates that the scalp has been neglected. We recommend that you use

**Rexall "93" Hair Tonic**  
Kills the germ that causes the hair to fall out and will keep the scalp healthy.  
Greer-Henry Drug Co.



PERFECT FITTING GLASSES

Are assured you if you come to Crane's. Our expert Optician will test your eyes free and fit them with proper glasses.

H. T. CRANE  
JEWELER AND OPTICIAN

## NEWS OF SOCIETY AND WOMEN'S CLUBS

(Continued from page 3.)

Lizzie Strube and Angela King, Messrs. Mike Miller, Albert Felix, Albert Heageler, Andy Kern, Emil and Isidore Martin of St. Joseph, John, Peter, Alfred and Joseph Myer, Lawrence and John Schreiber, Eugene and Gregory King, Ferdinand, Anton, Basil and Leo Wolfer, Gregory, Walter and Francis Strube.

## Birthday Surprise Party.

To celebrate the birthday anniversary of Marion Minter, the employees of the Fisher-McMurry garage gave him a surprise party last night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gabe Allen of East Fourth street. The evening was spent informally and a delicious supper served. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Casey, Mr. and Mrs. William Whitney, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Murray and family, Mr. and Mrs. Gabe Allen, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Fisher and family, Misses Dora, Maggie, Daisy and Bessie Allen and Mr. Minter.

## For Kansas City Guests.

Miss Katherine Vaughn was the hostess of a dinner party given at noon today at the Vaughn home, on South Buchanan street, at which plates were laid for Miss Kathleen McShane of Kansas City, Miss Anna Parle, Miss Irene Tobin, Miss Grace Parle, Leo and John McShane, Charles Geary and Edward McShane, all of Kansas City; James Tobin, Robert Tobin, Mrs. J. Vaughn and Miss Vaughn.

## Guess Work Is DANGEROUS In Fitting Glasses

The old way of fitting glasses by guessing at the kind needed was often more harmful than going without them. NO GUESS WORK NOW. I submit the test, the correction, and the cost to you before you are asked to pay a single cent. You take no risk nor incur any obligation by coming to me about your eyes.

H. L. Raines  
JEWELER & OPTICIAN  
110 W. 3RD ST. JUST EAST OF MAIN  
MARYVILLE, MO.

## KANSAS ROADS INJURE MORE.

Utilities Report Shows "Safety First" Campaign Has Failed.

The "safety first" campaign conducted by the Kansas railroads for several years has not produced the results expected. Five hundred more persons were injured in railroad accidents during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1914, than during the fiscal year of 1912, in Kansas according to the biennial report of the Kansas Public Utilities Commission.

Twenty-six persons were killed and 8,029 injured on street railways and interurbans in 1914, compared to forty-one killed and 8,537 injured in 1912. Two-thirds of the deaths and seven-eighths of the injuries were on the Metropolitan Street Railway in Kansas City, Kas.

## When to Turn Cover Crop Under.

The state at which a cover crop should be turned under depends upon the soil, weather conditions, and the crop that is to follow. Where corn is to be planted on crimson clover land, the clover should be turned under just when the bloom begins to appear. The crop at this stage will contain about the maximum amount of plant food. Besides, it will decay much more readily than if permitted to reach full maturity. It may be necessary to turn the clover under a little earlier, in order to get the corn planted at the proper time.

LOST—Blacy leather wrist bag containing two pieces embroidery and small change. Return Mrs. Awaft, 322 North Walnut. 29-31

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

CHARLES E. STILLWELL,  
ATTORNEY AND COUNSELOR  
AT LAW.  
Office over Farmers Trust Company,  
Maryville, Mo.

## DOUBLY PROVEN.

Maryville Readers Can No Longer Doubt the Evidence.

This Maryville citizen testified long ago. Told of quick relief—of undoubted benefit.

The facts are now confirmed. Such testimony is complete—the evidence conclusive.

It forms convincing proof of merit. A. W. Hawkins, Main street, Maryville, says: "I had a weak, sore and aching back. Doan's Kidney Pills gave me relief and I haven't used a kidney medicine since. I can still recommend Doan's Kidney Pills as highly as I did in 1911."

Price 50c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Hawkins had. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

## QUITMAN NEWS.

Preaching services at Centenary Sunday were well attended, considering the condition of the roads.

Mrs. Roy Yates and children spent Tuesday with Mrs. C. W. Nichols and family.

Mrs. W. M. Arthur spent Thursday with Mrs. Roy Hughbanks.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. McDonald and children and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Short left last week in their car for a pleasure trip to Colorado.

Miss Frances Walton left Monday for an extended visit with her brother, George Walton of Elmo.

Mrs. Henry Porter and son, Denton, returned Tuesday from Clarinda, Ia.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Nichols and family spent Sunday at the home of Lee Talbert.

## Guests at Dr. Bone Home.

Dr. and Mrs. C. A. Bone are entertaining his sister, Mrs. D. A. Gillis and three children, of Montezuma, Ia., who will remain their guests for several weeks.

## CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING WANTS THAT BRING RESULTS

## RATES IN THIS COLUMN

Classified ads running three days or more will be inserted in this column for one-half cent per word each insertion. No ads taken for less than 25c for three days. Ads running less than three days or interrupted insertions 1 cent per word each insertion.

Count the words; send money with the order. Ads should be in by twelve o'clock to insure insertion in this column same day.

## Miscellaneous.

QUICK and efficient service is required for first class work. Our service gives this to you. Standard Plumbing Co.

WANTED—Girl's bicycle, 20-inch frame, in good repair. Margaret Louise Hosmer, 529 West Third. 17-30

LOST—Horse blanket near White Cloud bridge. Leave at Democrat-Forum office. 27-29

LOST—White Angora cat, yellow and black markings and gray tail. Dr. Bone. Liberal reward. 28-31

## For Sale.

FOR SALE—Household furniture, 116 South Walnut. Hanamo phone 3430. 28-30

FOR SALE OR RENT—My place, adjoining Normal grounds; 6 large rooms, garden, pasture, fruit. Vacant J. T. Hays.

FOR RENT—5-room house at 116 South Walnut. Vacant Aug. 15. Hanamo phone 268. 28-30

FOR SALE—Several thousand feet of native lumber. Well seasoned, just the thing to repair barns or hog houses. \$1.00 per hundred. John L. Tilson.

## LETTER LIST.

Following is a list of the letters remaining unclaimed in the Maryville, Mo., postoffice for the week ending Wednesday, July 28, 1915:

## Men.

Bright, Walter E.  
Green, R. C.  
Hancock, R. W.  
Hiltner, Harold.  
Hummel, C. P. (return to writer).  
Reynolds, Sherman.  
Ridenour, Chas.  
Robertson, George.  
Sawyers, W. H.  
Snowden, A. C.

## Women.

Allen, Dorothy (official).  
Brown, Mrs. Elizabeth.  
Browne, Miss Nora.  
Combs, Mrs. and Son.  
Homes, Mrs. D. M.  
Morys, Mrs. Laney.  
Needham, Mrs. Nancy.  
Percy, Mrs. Ida.  
Simpson, Mrs. F. A.  
Stover, Miss Ethel.  
Snyder, Mrs. Jennie B.  
Spencer, Mrs. E. H.  
Persons calling for the above named letters mention "advertised."

JAMES TODD, Postmaster.

## Dawson Fowler Leaves.

Dawson Fowler, who has been visiting his grandmother, Mrs. Callista Dawson, left yesterday for a few days visit in Kansas City, after which he will go to his home. His mother, Mrs. Cora Fowler, who accompanied him, will remain for a longer visit.

## At Nebraska City.

Miss Katherine Kuchs is visiting at Nebraska City, Neb., the guest of Miss Louise Koepfel.

## The Big Maryville Fair

\$10,000.00 In Premiums and Attractions

MARYVILLE, MISSOURI  
August 30, 31, September 1, 2, 3, 4, 1915

Six Big Days Fairest of Fairs Six Big Nights

Every Hour There is Something to be Seen and Remembered

6 Big Races Every Day 6 6 Big Free Acts Daily 6  
Every Race a Thriller from Start to Finish Sensational, Daring, Hazardous

Big Live Stock, Agriculture, Horticulture and Floral Hall Exhibits

## Don't Forget the Big Night Horse Show

The Society Event of the Fair. 8:00 p.m. in front of the Grand Stand. This will be one of the Strongest Features of the Fair. Extraordinary. A Real High Class Horse Show. Don't Miss It!

## Capt. J. H. Warden With His Moisant Military Monoplane THE SIEGE OF LIEGE

The Greatest Aerial Bombardment Reproducing a Real Battle in the Clouds and the Destruction of a Fort! See at Home What Occurs in Europe Daily. Exciting and Instructive. This Act is a Thriller and the Highest Priced Aeroplane Attraction Before the American People!

## Blondin

World's Greatest Fire Works, Introducing the Sinking of the Lusitania, Submarine Scenes, Niagara Falls and Comic Scenes Too Numerous to Mention.

## Other Free Acts

Trapeze Acts, One Ring Circus, Trampoline Act, Balloon Ascepsion, All Stars in Their Profession, Every Act a Headliner, High Class, Clean and entertaining.

A Fair of the People--For the People--By the People

One Price of Admission, Adults 50c, Children 7 to 12 years of age 25c  
To All Parts of the Grounds. Grand Stand and Center Field Free  
No Extra Charge Every Time You Turn Around. Season Tickets at a Liberal Reduction

The Only Fair With One Admission

Jim Andy Ford, Mgr.

MARYVILLE, MO. 30  
FRIDAY, JULY 30

Circus Ground Opposite Wabash Depot

AN EXHIBITION THAT MARKS THE CLIMAX IN AMUSEMENT ACHIEVEMENT

HUGO BROS.  
MODERN UNITED SHOWS  
OVERTOPPING, SURPASSING & ECLIPSING ALL OTHERS

INTRODUCING THE MOST LATEST FEATURES EVER PRESENTED UNDER TENTED TOPS

RAY THOMPSON'S STABLE OF 20 POWERFUL HORSES INCLUDING JOE BAILEY THE GREATEST HIGH SCHOOL HORSE IN THE WORLD THE ONLY HORSE IN AMERICA THAT HAS TWICE ENDED THE SHOW EVER OFFERED

SE POWEL'S HERD OF PERFORMING ELEPHANTS SILVERTON TRIO THE FLYING FOSTERS ST. JOHN FAMILY ELIE DEWITT AND MAY MADRID EQUESTRIENNES 20 FUNNY CLOWNS AND 40 OTHER FEATURES

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DIFFERENT AND DISTINCTIVE DIRECT FROM THE EUROPEAN WAR ZONE

NO EXPENSE HAS BEEN SPARED IN SECURING THE BEST TALENT IN EUROPE, ASIA AND AMERICA

BRING THE CHILDREN WHO WILL BE GIVEN A FREE RIDE ON OUR BEAUTIFUL PONIES IMMEDIATELY AFTER EACH PERFORMANCE

A PRICELESS MENAGERIE OF UNTAMED BEASTS A FOREST

THREE DAYS: AT 2 AND 8 P.M. OR 11 P.M. DOORS OPEN - ONE HOUR EARLIER FOR INSPECTION OF MENAGERIE

GRAND FREE STREET PARADE DAILY AT 11 A.M.



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LARGEST CIRCULATION OF ANY DAILY PAPER IN ANY MISSOURI TOWN ITS SIZE.

VOLUME 6.

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NO. 48.

## NORMAL PUPILS TO PLAY FRIDAY

OBSERVE ANNUAL DAY IN GAMES AND PICNICS TOMORROW.

## TUTORS AND STUDENTS PLAN FARCE BASEBALL

County Groups Will Also Sport on Grassy Sward in Afternoon, after Hearing Recreation Lecture.

Tomorrow is "play day" at the Normal, and play it will be.

It will start at 9 o'clock tomorrow morning with a special address on public recreation by Henry S. Curtis, a noted lecturer on that topic, in the usual Normal assembly. It will be followed by group lunches at noon. But the real play and recreation will come in the afternoon tomorrow.

Accompanied by Mr. Curtis, the Normal students from each county represented in the school will go in groups to the Normal park to picnic and spend part of the afternoon. Besides this recreation there is a ball game scheduled to be played at the Normal athletic field at 2 o'clock. Prof. T. H. Cook will be "umps."

It will be a rather farcical affair between the "Never Hits," composed of Normal men students, and the Normal faculty. W. A. Powers is captain of the "Never Hits," while Lonnie Adams will do the twirling.

The line-up for the "Never Hits," announced by Walter Hanson, physical director, today, will be as follows: Lonnie Adams, p; Jesse Miller, Jr., c; W. A. Powers, 1b; Paul Powell, 2b; Ed Adams, 3b; Pierce, ss; Fred Vander-sloot, lf; Brown, cf; Bowen, rf.

The line-up for the faculty team has not been selected, but Prof. R. A. Kin-naird will probably be in the box. Others proposed for the game, according to Prof. Hanson, are: George Pal-freyman, Prof. W. A. Rickenbrode, M. W. Maxwell, Prof. A. J. Caulfield, Prof. M. W. Wilson, Prof. W. M. Westbrook, Prof. H. P. Swinehart and Prof. H. A. Foster.

## MANY ALUMNI ATTEND MEET

Large Audience Hears Special Normal Assembly Program of Music and Talks.

The "alumni" assembly held at the Normal this morning, in which ten numbers of music and talks were given, was attended by about seventy alumni of the Normal, about 100 visitors and the entire summer Normal students.

The first event of the assembly was a musical number by Miss Marjorie Willey and Miss Dale Hoffman. Other musical numbers consisted of a trio by Miss Nellie Wray, Miss Helen Lef-fler and Miss Winifred Carpenter and a solo by Miss Nellie Wray.

Talks were made by President Ira Richardson, A. H. Cooper, president of the Alumni association; C. H. Allen, Miss Lois Halley, Miss Floy Lyle and Silas Skelton. A reading also was given by Miss Alma Hofchikiss.

The talk by Miss Lyle, who gave her experiences in Porto Rico and the recitation of a poem by Miss Nell Hudson on the Normal's past and present, were particularly good.

## BUSINESS MEN WORK ROADS.

Mound Cityans Assist Farmers in Improving Highway to Bigelow.

A volunteer band of the business men, with teams, spades and all sorts of implements, yesterday worked on the road between Bigelow and Mound City. The recent rains have made this road impassable in several places.

## Here from St. Joseph.

Mrs. John Shinabargar of St. Joseph is visiting in Maryville, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Knox and Bud Knox and family.

## Ogdens Sell Calf for \$250.

A 10-months-old Shorthorn heifer calf was sold this week by E. Ogden & Son of Maryville to T. J. Dawe of Troy, Kan., for \$250. The calf will be used for show purposes. Mr. Dawe also is an extensive breeder of Poland-China hogs.

5 & 10c FERN THEATRE TONIGHT 5 & 10c

## CHARLEY CHAPLIN in THE TRAMP

In two acts. Edith Story in 2 reel feature. FRIDAY—Bettie Nan- seen in The Celebrated S andel.

## STILL REPAIR FLOOD DAMAGE

Three Gangs Continue to Aright Road Conditions by Bridge and Culvert Improvements.

The work of remedying the impassability and damage of roads and bridges through Nodaway county continue, through the county court, and three forces of workmen are now employed in repairing flood damages.

One gang under the supervision of Charles Hollensbee, is working on the repair of the Nodaway river bridge at Quitman, another under John Hollensbee is remedying conditions of roads across the Canal branch, north of Maryville, while still another, in charge of J. E. Reece, county surveyor and engineer, is still employed in construction and repair work on the White Cloud, southwest of Maryville.

## RALPH FARMER MAY LOSE EYE

Dynamite Cap Explodes, Causing Fragments to Lodge in Optic—Will Be Brought to Maryville.

The Rev. Ralph Farmer, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Farmer, South Main street, who recently returned from Oberlin college, Oberlin, O., supplying the parastate of a church near Fairfax, suffered a accident Tuesday afternoon, which will probably result in the loss of an eye. Farmer was shooting with a target rifle with some friends when a dynamite cap that had in some way gotten among the cartridges exploded, flying pieces striking him in the eye. He was taken to the Ensworth hospital at St. Joseph. His mother and father joined him there and will bring him to Maryville tonight. St. Joseph specialists say it is doubtful whether the eye can be saved.

## SPREE COSTS COFFIN \$73.30

Resident Charged by State With Disturbance, Admits Violation of 3 City Laws.

A little spree yesterday afternoon, resulted in the arrest of Frank Coffin by the police and fine totaling \$55 and costs aggregating \$18.30, in police court this morning, when he pleaded guilty to each of three charges placed against him. Being unable to pay, he is "laying out" the entire charges of \$73.30 in the city jail.

Coffin is alleged to have gotten boisterous in the saloon operated by John Kane, Third and Market streets, about 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon, when Pickering Green, employed there for the purpose of keeping order, attempted to eject him.

Coffin is said to have resented it, and to have slashed at Green with an opened pocket knife. Green then followed Coffin with a club, after which Chief of Police E. C. Moberly took charge of him. He too had trouble in "persuading" Coffin to go to the city calaboose.

Coffin also is now charged by the drunkenness, \$20 on a charge of having resisted an officer and \$25 for common assault on Green. The costs in each case were \$6.10.

Coffin also is now charge by the state with disturbance of the peace recently, on a complaint sworn to by his wife. The preliminary trial is set for hearing before Justice W. L. Johnson August 10. It has been postponed twice. The Coffin family lives above the Nunnally store, North Main street.

## Get License to Marry.

A marriage license was issued at St. Joseph yesterday to C. Leslie Atkinson and Miss Gladys M. Hagan, both of Guilford.

## To Chicago University.

Miss Mildred Miller, Miss Beulah Brunner of the State Normal school faculty will leave Saturday for Chicago university, Chicago, to take a special six weeks course of study.

## To Oklahoma Farm.

J. J. Bebout left yesterday for Okema, Okla., to look after his wheat crop. Mr. Bebout has a large farm near Okema.

## To California Monday.

Fred P. Robinson and daughter, Mildred, will start Monday morning for Los Angeles, Cal., to meet Mrs. Robinson and younger daughter, Virginia, who are there visiting Mrs. Robinson's sister, Mrs. Fletcher Irwin. Together the family will tour various places of interest in the west and will return to Maryville about September 1.

## RUSS LINES HOLD

TEUTONS ARE MAKING NO PROGRESS TOWARDS WARSAW NOW.

## BRIT CRITICS HOPEFUL

Fierce Counter Attacks Show Plenty of Fight is Left in Slavs—Germans Lose 500,000 Men.

London, July 29.—Although the Germans are using very strong reinforcements of men and guns, they have not yet succeeded in breaking the Russian resistance, either around Warsaw or in Kovno and Courland provinces, in each of which sectors heavy fighting has been in progress for nearly a fortnight.

Except for the capture of the village of Gogorowo, on the Narew front, and a number of prisoners and machine guns at that point and between Mitau and the Niemen, the German official report does not claim any advances.

It is estimated that this new move on Warsaw has cost 500,000 men. Mackenzen Stopped.

General von Buelow, in the north, and Field Marshal von Hindenburg, who crossed the Narew at some points, are being held up by Russian counter attacks, which, although probably costly to the Russians, show that there is still plenty of fight left in them.

In the southeast Field Marshal von Mackenzen's attack on the Lublin-Chelm railway seems for the moment to have come to a standstill, although he, too, is receiving reinforcements and assistance from the Austrians, who succeeded in crossing the Bug at Sokal.

To the west of Warsaw the Germans announce the capture of the village of Plonow, which is about fifteen miles west of the fort line of the city; so that not much progress has been made on this front.

There is a good deal in the German and Russian official reports which cannot be reconciled, but on the whole, the British critics are more hopeful than for some days that the Russians will succeed in withstanding this effort to capture Warsaw, as they did the previous attempts. The stubborn resistance of the grand duke's troops, together with the fact that the battle is being fought on ground of his choosing, has renewed the hope here that with a sufficient supply of munitions he will be able to inflict a strategic defeat on the Germanic allies.

## CIRCUS IN TOWN TOMORROW

Hugo Brothers' 3-Ring Show Comes in the Morning from Tarkio—To Be Street Parade.

The day of all days for the small boy and the real red-blooded man will be tomorrow, for it is on that day that the three-ring circus of Hugo Brothers, fresh from a tour abroad, is scheduled to arrive here from Tarkio for a day's stay.

The show is scheduled to arrive here by special train over the Wabash tomorrow morning, parade through the streets at 11 o'clock, and hold the first show at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon in the Holt pasture, directly across the tracks north of the Wabash passenger station. Another show will be held at 8 o'clock tomorrow night.

Besides the usual circus stunts, a small menagerie is carried, consisting of reptiles, two baby elephants, forty monkeys, an alligator and a few other animals not native to this country.

## CALL OFF "KID" BALL GAME.

Giants and Stanberry Team Postpone Contest on Account of Rain.

The base ball game scheduled to have been played at Federal park yesterday afternoon between the Giants, captained by Russell Robey of Maryville, and a Stanberry team was postponed on account of rain and inability of the Stanberry team to come.

The management of the Stanberry team has invited the Maryville Giants to go there for a game soon. No acceptance has yet been made.

## MARKET LIVE STOCK.

Many Nodaway County Stockmen Shipped to St. Joseph Market Yesterday.

Quite a number of Nodaway county farmers and stockmen marketed live stock in St. Joseph yesterday. Among the number were: A. N. Otis, Pickering; Sheley & Co., Hopkins; Halker & Co., Hopkins; J. E. Hart, Skidmore; T. Derk & Son, B. F. Dougan and J. B. Horton, Ravenwood; G. T. Clardy, Elmo; F. J. Wallace, J. W. Milbank and J. N. Billingsley, Clearmont; C. J. White, F. Brown, Slauson & Co., W. A. Linville and R. L. Bilby, Skidmore.

## Returns to Lathrop.

Leonard Frisbie of Lathrop, Mo., who has been attending the State Normal school, left yesterday for his home.

## CALL OFF BALL GAME TODAY

Boosters Defer Contest With St. Joseph All-Stars Until Next Week. Oregon Beats.

The base ball game scheduled to be played between the Maryville Boosters and the St. Joseph All-Stars, at the Normal grounds, this afternoon, has been postponed until next week on account of wet grounds, and indications of rain today. Manager Walter Hanson announced this morning. Fear that train service on the Burlington might be cut off to the south also caused the postponement of the game.

The All-Stars were defeated by the Oregon base ball team at Oregon last Sunday by the score of 3 to 5, indicating that either the Oregon team is exceptionally good or that the All Stars are weak.

## 2 MORE SUE T. W. COSTELLO

Conception Junction Merchant, Victim of Many Suits for Recovery on Unpaid Notes.

Two more civil suits, to recover on promissory notes alleged to have been given by T. W. Costello, merchant of Conception Junction, were appealed from justice court to the circuit court here today, for trial in the September term of court which begins September 27. Three suits for recovery on notes alleged to have been given by him and that remain unpaid, were appealed Monday and Tuesday from justice court by Costello.

One suit filed today by A. L. and M. Shuerman, copartners in the Kansas City Pant and Skirt company of Kansas City, alleges that Costello gave them a promissory note February 4, promising to pay \$127.50 within one month. When the case was tried before Justice R. L. McDougal recently, the plaintiff recovered for \$99.83.

The other suit, brought by the Merit Manufacturing company, alleges that Costello gave two notes, each for \$150, February 1, neither of which has been paid. When tried before Justice McDougal, the plaintiff recovered \$98.84 on one note and \$155.60 on the other. All five suits have been appealed by Costello.

## WANT MANY CARS IN PARADE

Boost for Chautauqua Will Be Held Tonight Preceding Band Concert—All Welcome.

An effort is being made today by those interested in getting as many automobile owners of the city as possible in the parade tonight to boost the Chautauqua, to be held at the Normal park August 6 to 12 inclusive. Unless the weather is threatening at that time, it is fully believed that the line will be quite long.

The parade is scheduled to start from in front of the Commercial club offices at 7 o'clock, thence go north. Only paved streets will be traversed, however, and the parade is open to anyone, especially those with loud horns or Claxons.

Pennants and banners advertising the Chautauqua will be placed on each car. After the parade they will be presented to the owner of the car for display until the Chautauqua ends. The parade will end before the band concert begins, at 8 o'clock.

## Miss Hehr's Condition Unchanged.

The condition of Miss Alpha Hehr, a niece of the Rev. and Mrs. Lewis M. Hale, who is very ill with appendicitis, was reported to be unchanged today. Miss Hehr became ill several days ago and her symptoms yesterday were serious. She came from Shelbyville recently to visit her uncle. Her parents and sister were called from Shelbyville Tuesday.

## Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

\*\*\*\*\* THE WEATHER \*\*\*\*\*  
Partly cloudy tonight and Friday; not much change in temperature.

## Camp Out In Maryville DURING CHAUTAUQUA WEEK August 6th to 12th

Comfortable Tents from \$4 to \$10 per week.

SIZES OF TENTS.

Sizes of Tents.  
12 x 14—3½ foot wall.....\$4.00  
12 x 14—6 foot wall.....\$6.00  
12 x 16—6 foot wall.....\$7.00  
14 x 20—6 foot wall.....\$10.00  
All orders must be in by August 2.  
Orders may be placed with F. P. Reuillard, 216 North Main street, Maryville, Missouri.

## PASS SIX TO M. U.

HALF DOZEN NODAWAY YOUNG MEN GET SCHOLARSHIPS.

## SENATOR CRAIG PICKS 3

Graham, Hopkins and Maryville Applicants Chosen—Representative Hyslop to Name 3 More.

Six young men of Nodaway county will get free tuition and all necessary fees paid to the University of Missouri for a term of two years, through the appointments of Senator Anderson Craig and Representative Charles Hyslop, according to the provisions of a law passed several years ago. Each has power to appoint three.

Senator Craig announced the appointment of the following young men this morning: Tilghman White, employed at Englemann's greenhouse, son of C. D. White, a farmer living at the south end of Main street; John N. Geyer, son of Edward Geyer, merchant of Graham; David W. Robb, son of J. F. Robb of Hopkins.

Representative Hyslop has not yet made any appointments, but has received applications from Alva C. Hill of Graham and John McDougal, son of R. L. McDougal of Maryville.

Besides having their tuition paid, they are exempt from hospital, library and incidental fees, and receive special military instruction.

The first appointment made by Senator Craig, through the provisions of this law, was four years ago, in the appointment of Herschel Colbert, son of Prof. G. H. Colbert, who graduated from the University of Missouri last spring.

These six military cadets may enter the college of agriculture, college of arts and sciences or the school of engineering of the university.

## THE 'STINGER' HAS FLOWN

Victims in Accident Insurance Return When Prosecution is Dismissed by Court.

Another chapter to "The Stinger" was added today, with the return of Dennis Jones and Robert Campbell from Plattsburg, where they went to assist in the prosecution of a man believed to have been the "stinger." But alas and alack, and more woe, it was a different "stinger" than the one that was in our midst!

So when one of the officials of the Great Eastern Casualty company, which the local "stinger" was supposed to represent, failed to show up at Plattsburg yesterday to assist in the prosecution there was nothing to do but throw the charge against one W. P. T. Schroeder out of court.

Some others "stung" by the alleged "stinger" for \$2.50 each, which would insure them of all ailments for six months were: Albert Mack, George Bramble and Colonel J. Eads.

## ARRANGE BIG G.A.R. ENCAMPMENT

Expect 70,000 To Attend Annual Meeting—To Reproduce Civil War Review.

Elaborate preparations are being worked out for the accommodation of 70,000 Grand Army of the Republic veterans and their friends who will attend the Forty-Ninth annual encampment of the organization to be held in Washington from September 27 to October 2.

This forty-ninth encampment will celebrate the fiftieth anniversary of the grand review of the troops at the termination of the Civil war by President Johnson, and it is the plan of those in charge that at this encampment it may be reproduced, as nearly as possible. It is expected that President Wilson will review the veterans.

This probably will be the last great encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic because of the increasing death rate of the old soldiers. In addition to the G. A. R. encampment, conventions are to be held here at the same time by the Daughters of Veterans, Sons of Veterans, Women's Relief Corps, Ladies of the G. A. R., the Association of Union Prisoners of War, Naval Veterans and other kindred organizations. The Naval Defense League will hold a great conference on national defense immediately after the G. A. R. Encampment.

## Wright Family Home.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wright and daughter, Lucile, returned last night from a trip of several weeks at Inwood, Ia. The Wrights drove to Inwood in their car, but were compelled to return home on the train on account of the road conditions.

## 2 HURT AS AUTO HITS RIG

Car Driven by Miss Anna Bainum Strikes Buggy of D. J. Busby at Bad Turn.

I. A. Fuller had his left shoulder strained and his head gashed and bruised, and Dean J. Busby, living seven miles south of Maryville, was slightly bruised when an automobile driven by Miss Anna Bainum collided with a two-horse rig driven by Busby, at Main and Edwards streets, at 11 o'clock last night.

Busby and Fuller, who is employed by Busby, were driving towards home from Maryville at the time of the accident, in a buggy drawn by two small bronchos. As they turned the corner by the home of C. C. Corvin the touring car, coasting down West Edwards street, crashed head-on into one of the horses.

Horse Knocked Beneath Buggy. The horse was knocked down and partly beneath the buggy, but not badly injured. The other horse, which was but slightly struck, wheeled, broke the buggy tongue, kicked loose from the harness and ran north on Main street, 2 blocks, where it was stopped. The buggy also was slightly damaged when it turned over towards the curb.

Busby jumped as quickly as possible when the crash occurred, but Fuller, who is about 50 years old, failed to jump at once. When he attempted to do so he fell with violent force on the street pavement. He alighted on his head and left shoulder, causing the injuries.

Fuller was taken to the office of Dr. K. C. Cummins, where his injuries were dressed, then taken to the Busby home.

Miss Bainum was accompanied by Miss Louise Marshall of Mound City at the time of the accident. Just previous to that they also were accompanied by Andy C. Cummins, part owner of the car. He had stopped at the Elks building and they had gone on for a ride, expecting him to join them on their return.

Says He Saw No Car. According to Busby, the car had no head lights when the accident occurred; or if it did they were so dim that he did not see them.

He said he knew nothing of the car's approach until the crash came. The car was coasting down the grade at the time, though only at a moderate rate, it is said.

There was no street light there at the time, it having been turned off but a short time previously, in accordance with the "moonlight" schedule.

According to Mr. Cummins the headlights on the car have not been working properly for some time, in that they occasionally flicker and nearly go out at times. It is believed that was the case when the accident occurred.

By a rather coincidence Cummins had apparently feared an accident soon. As True Hallowell was walking up the street at 7:30 o'clock last night with two signs, bearing the inscription "Not Responsible for Accidents," which were to be posted at the Federal park ball grounds, Cummins hailed him and asked that one of them be placed on the radiator of his car. Scarcely three hours later the car had crashed into the buggy driven by Busby.

## Was Dangerous Corner.

Though no serious accidents have been known to ever occur at Main and Edwards street, the corner has always been considered a dangerous one, from the fact that the turn was a sharp one, and there is a down grade from Buchanan street, off which many tourists turn in coming to Maryville from the west and south.

Recently the city street department eliminated some of the danger by rounding the corner, widening the pavement on Main street and cutting into the parking.

Fuller has been employed by Busby for some time. He came there from near Skidmore, where he was employed by Burman Wells.

## Dyson's to Return.

Prof. and Mrs. Joseph William Dyson of Fayette, Mo., who have been visiting Mrs. Dyson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Sheldon, expect to leave tomorrow for their home.

## 102 RISING HERE 15 INCHES AN HOUR

HEAVY RAIN NORTH, SENDS COUNTY RIVER OVER BANKS.

## BURLINGTON EXPECTS FULL SERVICE FRIDAY

Track Tied Up Between Maryville and Conway—Wabash Delayed by Surface Water.

The river was rising at the rate of fifteen inches an hour east of Maryville, and was running over the state road between the two bridges, and also west of the municipal water plant at 2 o'clock this afternoon, according to Chief Engineer Bert Hillsbeck. The river also is overflowing on the east side of the river.

The heavy rain in southern Iowa, which has caused floods in the 102 again, as well as smaller streams there, is partially tying up service on this branch of the Burlington. Trains are being operated only between St. Joseph and Maryville, and from Conway Crossing to Creston, although there is indication, local officials say, that through service will be possible tomorrow morning.

The usual passenger and freight train service is being operated where trains can run. Two work trains are now at work on the line, one between Pickering and Hopkins, where ballast was washed from under 200 feet of track and another north of Conway.

## Wabash is Delayed.

An effort is being made to have the track repaired late this afternoon so that No. 10 could be operated as far north as Bedford, Ia., tonight, it is believed. Unless through service is possible, however, it is said the train will be operated no farther than Maryville, however.

The Wabash is experiencing delays, but no track damage through the effects of the heavy rain, local officials report. The surface water has washed on the track many places, though, which necessitates the operation of trains slightly behind schedule.

Normal service was restored on the Chicago Great Western today, after a delay yesterday in the operation of trains.

## Flood Covers Tracks at Pickering.

At Pickering the rise in the 102 is reported to be almost equal to the flood of two weeks ago. The water is out of the banks and over all the lowlands and covers the railroad tracks for considerable distance both north and south of Pickering. The water has been practically at a standstill since noon.

Hopkins, the first station north of Pickering, reports the river bank full and out of its channel in the low places. No rise was perceptible after midnight last night, and a slight but steady fall has been noticeable since noon today.

## Platte Conditions Fairly Good.

The Platte river, while very high, is still within its banks and there has been no trouble with the Great Western train service other than a slight delay in the regular time schedule.

At both Parnell and Ravenwood the river was reported to be bank full at noon today, and the water has been at a standstill since morning. At Conception Junction conditions are not quite so good. The Platte is out of its banks along the low places, but not enough to cause any particular damage at present. Unless there be additional rain no trouble with either the Wabash or Great Western trains will result from the overflow.

## No Overflow in Nodaway.

The reports from towns along the Nodaway give no rise in the water since morning at the stations north of Quitman. The river is not out of its banks except at several low places in the bottoms near Quitman. At Skidmore the rise was slight this morning, but the river is practically within its banks. The Villisca branch trains along this route are running on schedule today.

## Tonight

THE RESOLVE—American An exceptional production of a beautiful Romance.

GASOLINE GUS—A romance of a Jitney Bus, featuring Fay Tincher.

The Empire Theatre



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Most of the fellows who have "great messages" for their fellow men deliver them C. O. D.

If anybody wants to locate the center of wetness, Nodaway county wants to be considered.

The commission form of government seems to have gotten a black eye in the city of Nashville, Tenn. On account of the failure of the city treasurer to account for \$10,000, the city has been thrown into a receivership just like a wrecked business institution, and the receivers will endeavor to bring order out of the chaotic conditions. The commission form of government in municipalities has been heralded as the one perfect way to secure both honesty and efficiency, but in this case it seems to have signally failed in one or the other.

Announcement that the Missouri state fair will have a "fried chicken day" on September 1 emphasizes the large part which poultry will play in this year's event. The state poultry experiment station at Mountain Grove will fit up a model 10-acre poultry farm on the fair grounds, which should not only acquaint present chicken growers with the details of a successful business, but induce poultry culture by those who do not know the fascination and profit in the business when properly conducted.—Drovers Telegram.

The proposition to secure connections with the Iowa main line of the Burlington at Creston should be pushed with vigor. It would seem to be an easy matter to provide if the road wants to do it. With a notori-

ously bad roadbed and an equally poor service, there ought to be some redeeming feature to which the patrons of this line may look with satisfaction. There is enough time wasted in long stops at stations to make up the time necessary, and it would be most agreeable to passengers to have this time eliminated. It is said that much time is needed on account of loading and unloading cream cans, but cream is also shipped on the main lines and they are handled there without unnecessary loss of time. The matter of fact is that it has become the custom to give all the service to the main lines and to milk the branch lines on the least possible feed.

### SAVING DURING DULL TIMES.

A New York banker in Kansas City a few days ago said the west would need no money from the east this year to help move her crops, that the west had grown rich and independent and that her bank deposits had reached unprecedented proportions. Asked for an explanation of the latter statement, he said that the business depression and the subsequent demoralization in the commercial world caused by the European war had caused the people generally to slow up on their growing extravagances, and everybody, he says, has taken to a more economical mode of living, cutting off the luxuries to which they had been accustomed, and the result was a great growth in individual savings. When times are universally rated good people have no fear of spending what they make, and many borrow on the future in order to keep pace with their fellows, but when a jar comes to the business world the public quickly runs to cover and seeks to lay by something for the proverbial rainy day. And this is a depression a blessing in disguise.

### This Is Billiards.

Billiards is one of the most popular games now. It consists of punching ivory balls about on a table covered with green cloth, with long wooden ramrods.—From "Fifty Years Ago" column of St. Joseph Gazette.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven Catarrh to be a constitutional disease, and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only Constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.

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### CHICAGO.

Cattle—4,000. Market steady. Estimate tomorrow, 1,500.

Hogs—24,000. Market 10c lower; top, \$7.60. Estimate tomorrow, 15,000.

Sheep—12,000. Market strong.

### KANSAS CITY.

Cattle—2,000. Market steady.

Hogs—4,500. Market slow; top, \$7.45.

Sheep—1,000. Market strong.

### ST. JOSEPH.

Cattle—6,000. Market steady.

Hogs—7,500. Market 10c lower; top, \$7.15.

Sheep—2,500. Market strong.

### NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Sealed proposals will be received at the office of W. A. Rickenbrode, registrar of the Fifth District Normal school of Missouri, at Maryville, Mo., until 1 o'clock p. m., on the 30th day of July, 1915, for the installation of additions to the heating system of its main building. Proposals must be in accordance with the plans and specifications, copies of which may be had at the office of the registrar in Maryville, Mo., on or after July 24th. A deposit of a certified check for twenty-five (\$25.00) dollars will be required to guarantee the safe return of said plans and specifications. Proposals for this contract must be accompanied by a certified check for two hundred and fifty (\$250.00) dollars, amount made payable to George M. Kemp, treasurer, as a guarantee that should the bidder be awarded the contract he will execute the contract and give satisfactory bond within five days provided for in the specifications, or in case of failure to do so, said check to be forfeited and retained by the board as liquidated damages. The successful bidder will be required to enter into contract to have the work specified completed by the 14th day of September, 1915, or forfeit the sum of twenty (\$20.00) dollars per day for each and every day thereafter that work remains unfinished. The board reserves the right to reject any or all proposals.

THE LADIES OF  
BAPTIST CHURCH  
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Cat Fish Tomorrow  
20 cents  
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## OPPOSE BOND ISSUE PLAN

John A. Zeck, Mount Ayr, Believes Township Proposition Should Be Voted Down—Gives Reasons.

Here is one citizen of Polk township who openly expresses opposition to the proposition to vote bonds to improve road conditions in Polk township and gives reasons for so opposing. He is John A. Zeck of the Mount Ayr neighborhood. His letter to the Democrat-Forum on the topic, follows:

## Townsend's

FOURTH AND MAIN STREETS

Quote These Low  
Values For

## Friday's Grocery Sale

Pound pkgs best Lump Starch, 10c size, 4c; or 4 for .....15c  
Jelly Glasses, the new style squat jars with tin tops, doz. ....19c  
5 bars Rub No More or P. & G. Naphtha Soap .....19c  
Sardines, American quarters, in oil, 7 cans for .....25c  
Golden Santos Coffee, fresh roasted, 30c coffee, 2 lbs for .....50c  
4½ lbs for .....\$1.00  
Snider's Catsup, 25c bottles, 2 for 35c  
Quart cans Imported Olive Oil .....85c  
25c Mason Jars Pickles, sweet or sour, for .....20c  
25c pound can California Tuna Fish, 20c; 3 for .....50c  
Pound cans Rumford Baking Powder for .....21c  
Pink Salmon, 1-lb tall cans, 10c; doz for .....\$1.10  
Red Alaska Salmon, 1-lb tall cans, best quality—  
3 cans for .....50c  
12 cans for .....\$1.50  
Fresh Tomatoes, lb. ....5c  
2 pkgs Uncle Sam's Health Food .....25c  
½-lb Hershey's or Baker's Cocoa .....15c  
New Sweet Potatoes, 4 lbs. ....25c  
6 bars Big Ben Laundry Soap .....25c  
Full Cream Wisconsin Cheese, 5 lbs for .....90c  
Sweet Sugar Corn, fine pack, 6 cans for 45c; 3 cans .....25c  
Blue Valley Creamery Butter, first quality, lb .....30c

If You Purchase From Us  
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You get the utmost satisfaction. None of our flour is made from mixed wheat which you know means both trouble and waste.

Smoked Herring skinned and boned, per lb .....15c  
Big size juicy Lemons, doz. ....25c  
Macaroni or Spaghetti, the best, two 10c pkgs .....15c  
Jello, all flavors, also ice cream powder, 10c pkgs, 2 for .....15c  
Peas, sifted Early June, 15c kind, 3 for .....29c  
10c pkgs Ivory Powdered Starch, 3 pkgs .....20c  
Laundry Soap, Lenox or White Russian, 8 bars, 25c; 17 bars .....50c  
Fat Chicken, choice Peaches, good Bananas, Cantaloupes, Sun Kist Oranges.  
The first lot of good Missouri Watermelons will be in Maryville Saturday or Monday. We will have choice ones at prices from 25c to 35c.

TOWNSENDS  
FOURTH AND MAIN STS

Mount Ayr, Mo., July 26, 1915.—Editor Democrat-Forum:

I see in your columns that the township board wants information regarding the sentiment of the people as to a new bond issue. When the late bond issue of \$50,000 was under way, the people had hoped that the culvert question would be settled once for all, that the money would be spent economically and that the work would be done by competent men.

In fact these things were assured them by men who were very much in favor of that bond issue. Of course we had the bonds and we had the money, but we have no roads.

Here is a case in point. Just west of Mount Ayr school house there had been a wooden bridge, constructed not by scientifically trained men but by common every day people right in this neighborhood. This bridge was there for over twenty years. It has had equally as much water pass under it, as fell this time and I honestly believe it would have been there yet, had it not been taken out.

Now there is a concrete culvert there. Of course it is there yet, but the road is gone. Faulty construction is the cause, in fact I have heard people refer to those new culverts at rat holes.

Now in view of these facts, the people of this community will probably not assist in voting more bonds, at least not for a generation. Of course I can not speak for the whole of Polk township, but this is the sentiment here.

JOHN A. ZECK.

Take a

**Reckall Orderlies**  
Tonight

It will act as a laxative in the morning  
Orean-Henry Drug Co.

PICKERING CHAUTAUQUA ENDS.

Final Entertainment Will Be Held Tonight—Was Well Attended.

The final number of the Pickering Chautauqua, which opened Saturday, will be given tonight. The entertainments have been well attended so far and they have been of a high class, enjoyed by everyone.

The storm of Tuesday night and the resulting road conditions decreased the attendance yesterday and today. The week has been a successful one, even with that, and will be repeated next year.

MARYVILLE DRUGGIST  
PLEASES CUSTOMERS

The Koch Pharmacy reports customers greatly pleased with the quick action of simple buckthorn bark, glycerine, etc., as mixed in Adler-Ika. This simple remedy drains the old foul matter from the bowels so thorough that one spoonful relieves almost any case of constipation, sour or gassy stomach. It is so powerful that it is used successfully in appendicitis. Adler-Ika never gripes and the instant action is surprising.

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3 packages of Table Salt 10c  
Quart Bottle Household Ammonia 10c  
3 packages Rub No More Washing Powder 10c  
2 cakes Lilac Rose Glycerine Soap 15c  
1 dozen Fresh Corn, 10c.  
5 bars Quick Wash White Laundry Soap, 25c.  
3 cans Early June Peas, 25c.  
4 lbs Dry Onions, 10c.  
Quart can Pork and Beans, 10c.  
Tall can Pink Salmon, 10c.  
Frontier brand Yellow Free Peaches, per can, 20c.  
4 cans Wisconsin Corn, 25c.  
New Cabbage, per lb, 2c.  
Elberta Peaches, basket, 20c.  
Blue Valley Creamery Butter, 30c.  
6 Heavy Water Glasses, 20c.

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This year's improvements alone will cost us \$500,000 yearly. Most of this goes into extra rubber—all into extra wear. And we shall spend on research \$100,000 this year to find other betterments still.

Users Save  
\$5,000,000

Yet our 1915 price reduction—made February 1st—will save Goodyear users about \$5,000,000 this year. And that was our third reduction in two years, totaling 45 per cent.

These extra features—used by us alone—will save users millions more.

That's why Goodyears dominate. They have long outsold any other. They are gaining new users faster than we can supply them. We hope, for your own sake, that they'll soon win you. Any dealer will supply you. (2419)

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HOPKINS, Missouri, Mutti & Borwn  
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THE STORE WITH RIGHT PRICES



## MAY SEE "WHITE SISTER."

Fern Portrays Viola Allen in Movie—To Show "The Isle of Regeneration" Soon.

A large crowd witnessed the photoplay of "The White Sister," with Viola Allen featuring, at the Fern theater last night.

The next feature film of considerable note to be given at the Fern will

be shown next Wednesday night, when a photoplay of "The Isle of Regeneration," by Cyrus Townsend Brady, will be placed on the screen. Edith Storey takes the leading role.

## Fine a Drunk \$5.

Marion Ray of Burlington Junction, was fined \$5 and costs in police court this morning, when he pleaded guilty to a charge of drunkenness. He paid.

## SIX BLAMED IN EASTLAND CASE

Captain, Engineer and Two Inspectors Are Named.

## CLEAN BILL FOR PASSENGERS.

Investigating Body Urges Half Dozen, Including Two Officials of Ship Companies, Be Held on Charges of Manslaughter—Boat Improperly Built.

Chicago, July 29.—A coroner's jury returned a verdict placing the blame for the loss of hundreds of lives by the capsizing of the steamer Eastland in the Chicago river Saturday on six men:

William H. Hull, general manager of the Chicago-St. Joseph Steamship company, owner of the Eastland.

Captain Harry Pedersen of the Eastland.

J. M. Erickson, engineer.

Robert Reid, federal inspector of steamships, who gave the Eastland license to carry 2,500 passengers, July 2.

J. C. Ecklin, federal inspector of steamships.

W. K. Greenbaum, general manager of the Indiana Transportation company, lessee of the Eastland.

The jury recommended that these men be held to a grand jury on indictment on charges of manslaughter.

The jury found that the passengers were not in any way to blame for the capsizing of the ship. It recommends further investigation by the coroner and other officers to determine whether the men named and others may be guilty of negligence or of contributing in any way to the cause of the disaster.

After starting with the recommendation that the men named be held to the grand jury on the charge of manslaughter and for such other offenses as the facts may warrant, the verdict continues: "It is our judgment that the steamer Eastland was both improperly constructed and improperly loaded, operated and maintained, and that the parties named are responsible."

Crew Was Used to Boat Listing.

Peter Erickson, an officer on the Eastland, a brother of J. M. Erickson, chief engineer, testified at the coroner's inquest it was the custom to empty the ballast tanks on the Eastland when the vessel docked, and that on orders from the engineer he opened the valves to empty four ballast tanks on the morning of the disaster.

"Later when the boat listed very badly they sent me up to see if the boat was caught on the dock," said the boy.

"When I got up on the second deck the water was pouring in and I had just time to grab the dock and climb out."

"Was there much excitement in the engine room while the boat was listing?"

"No," replied Erickson. "We were used to the boat listing. It always listed to one side or the other."

Erickson said his brother, the engineer, since the accident had told him he thought the boat stuck on the bottom or that there were too many people on board.

Funeral of 700 Victims.

The burial of almost 700 victims of the Eastland disaster took place at Chicago.

Facilities were lacking properly to handle the funerals and services over as many as thirty bodies were held simultaneously in a church. Because there are not enough steam and electric funeral trains and hearses, the dead were removed to cemeteries in various sorts of conveyances. In many cases motor trucks which carried several coffins were used. In the vicinity of the Western Electric plant where most of the victims were employed the funeral processions blocked traffic.

## GRAIN AND PROVISIONS

Closing Quotations on the Chicago Board of Trade.

Chicago, July 29.—Closing prices: Wheat—July, \$1.14; Sept., \$1.07½. Corn—July, 80½c; Sept., 74½c. Oats—July, 55½c; Sept., 38½c. Pork—Sept., \$13.30; Oct., \$13.45. Lard—Sept., \$7.75; Oct., \$7.85. Ribs—Sept., \$9.32½; Oct., \$9.30. Chicago Cash Prices—No. 2 hard wheat, new, \$1.15½; No. 2 yellow wheat, new, \$1.15½; No. 3 white oats, 52½c; standard, 55½c.

## Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, July 29.—Cattle—Receipts 12,000; weak; native beef steers, \$8.20 to \$10.25; westerns, \$6.85 to \$8.15; cows and heifers, \$3.25 to \$9.15; calves, \$7.50 to \$11. Hogs—Receipts, 24,000; slow and 5c lower; bulk of sales, \$6.50 to \$7.10; light, \$7.20 to \$7.75; mixed, \$6.50 to \$7.60; heavy, \$6.20 to \$7.10; rough, \$6.20 to \$6.40; pigs, \$6.75 to \$7.65. Sheep—Receipts, 16,000; steady; sheep, \$5.85 to \$6.80; lambs, \$6.25 to \$8.50.

## South Omaha Live Stock.

South Omaha, July 29.—Cattle—Receipts, 1,700; steady to strong; bee steers, \$7.50 to \$9.75; cows and heifers \$4.40 to \$8.50; stockers and feeders, \$5.50 to \$8.40; bulls, \$5.50 to \$7.25; calves, \$8 to \$9.75. Hogs—Receipts, 10,000; 10 to 15c lower; heavy, \$6.25 to \$7.25; mixed, \$6.30 to \$6.40; light, \$6.60 to \$7.35. Sheep—Receipts, 7,500; 25c higher; lambs, \$7 to \$8.40; wethers, \$5.25 to \$6.25; ewes, \$4.75 to \$6.15; yearlin, \$5.75 to \$6.50.

## SOCIETY and CLUBLAND

By KATE SCHENCK  
PHONES—OFFICE 42 HOME 683

## Hagins Dinner Party.

Mr. and Mrs. Newton Hagins gave a dinner last night in their home, on East Seventh street, complimentary to Mr. and Mrs. George Smith of Alliance, Neb., who are visiting in the city. Plates were laid for Mr. and Mrs. Smith and young son, Ernest Maxwell; Mr. and Mrs. William Wade Smith, Donald Hagins, and the hosts and son, Wesley.

## Miss Parle Gives Dinner.

Miss Anna Parle gave a dinner party at noon yesterday at the Parle home, on West First street, entertaining in honor of a number of Kansas City friends who are visiting in Maryville. Plates were laid for Miss Regina Hayden, Miss Kathleen McShane, Leo McShane, Charles Geary, John McShane, John Francis and Clement Hayden, all of Kansas City, Miss Grace Parle and the hostess.

## Epworth League to Entertain.

The Epworth League of the First Methodist church will give a lawn social Monday night, August 2, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Hulet, 319 West Twelfth street. Should the weather be inclement, the gathering will be held indoors. Each member of the league is allowed to invite their friends, and the committee in charge desires that the members see to it that all Normal students who are league members or friends of the leaguers be extended an invitation.

## Observes First Birthday.

Thomas Clark Collins celebrated his first birthday anniversary Monday, and in honor of the event his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Collins, gave a dinner party in the evening at their apartment, on North Main street. Plates were laid for Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Clark, Mrs. May Denny, Miss Besse Scott, Miss Amy Clark and the Collins family. A movie party followed the dinner.

## Sorority Entertained.

Mrs. Lieber Holmes, Miss Irene Kemp and Miss Marie Reuillard entertained the members of the Sigma Delta Chi sorority with an evening at forty-two last night at the home of Miss Kemp. The rooms were adorned with quantities of nasturtiums, and the colors of yellow, green and white were carried out in the game favors and refreshments. The prize was won by Miss Phyllis Saylor. Among the visiting members present was Mrs. John I. Hoffman of Washington, D. C., who is visiting her mother, Mrs. Melissa Casteel.

## Wedding Guests Leave.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Flynn and daughter, Helen; Mr. and Mrs. William Flynn and Miss Margaret Kelley of Kansas City, and Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Walsh and children of St. Joseph, who came to Maryville to attend the Stumm-Flynn wedding yesterday morning, left yesterday afternoon for their homes. C. Edward Sturm, a brother of the bride, who came to be present at the marriage, left this morning for his

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## Special Values

WE are anxious to close out the remainder of our Summer Goods, and in order to do so are making some very interesting reductions. If you have not supplied your wants for the entire season now is your opportune time.

## Dainty Summer Dresses

We have a beautiful assortment of the new styles and weaves in Summer Dresses. These have been divided into special lots as follows:

LOT 1—\$15.00, \$12.50 and \$10.00 grade for..... \$7.50  
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LOT 3—\$6.00, \$5.50 and \$4.50 grade for..... \$3.95

## Piece Goods Assortment

We have assembled a large assortment of Crepe, Linen Suitings, Plain Tub Silk, Ratine, Eponge, etc., assorted colors, from 27 inches to 36 inches wide, value to \$1.50, Special at the yard..... 25c

## Summer Footwear

Our entire stock of Pumps, Slippers and Oxfords are reduced as follows:

\$5.00 grade for..... \$3.95  
\$4.50 grade for..... \$3.75  
\$4.00 grade for..... \$3.40  
\$3.50 grade for..... \$2.98  
\$3.00 grade for..... \$2.55  
\$2.50 grade for..... \$2.13  
\$2.25 grade for..... \$1.90  
\$2.00 grade for..... \$1.70

Other grades reduced in proportion.

## EXTRA SPECIAL

The very latest fabric Footwear trimmed with colored leather, in White and Black, White and Green and Palm Beach and Tan Combination. \$3.50 grade while they last at only the pair..... \$1.75

## Silk Petticoats

We have one assorted lot of Silk Underskirts, values to \$4.50, assorted colors and sizes, offered now at each..... \$2.50  
Other Silk Underskirts at a reduction.

home in Oklahoma City, Okla. His wife and children will remain for a several weeks' visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Q. Smith.

## For Mrs. Tunstall.

The Misses Lenore and Rose Schumacher entertained a few friends last night in compliment to Mrs. George Tunstall of Kansas City, who is visiting her brother, Augustus Romasser, and Mrs. Romasser. Guests were invited for two tables of bridge. Among the out-of-town friends present was Miss Mary Schaefer of Reading Pa., who is visiting her sister, Mrs. D. J. Thomas.

## Mrs. Price Entertains.

Mrs. John P. Price extended her hospitality yesterday afternoon to the members of the Penelope club, entertaining them with a Kensington and luncheon at her home, on West Sixth street. Mrs. Price was assisted during the entertaining hours by Mrs. R. S. Branigan, Mrs. J. M. Smith and Mrs. Ellis Garrett. Among the visiting folk present were the hostess' mother, Mrs. Gray; Mrs. Ellis Garrett, Mrs. Ralph Price and Mrs. Ida Armstrong.

## Mrs. Otis Hostess.

The I X L club members enjoyed a pleasant afternoon yesterday at the home of Mrs. Edward Otis, on East First street. The hours were spent with needlework and in the serving of luncheon, Mrs. Otis was assisted by Mrs. Aaron Felix, Mrs. O. W. Swinford and Miss Anna Byrnes. Those entertained beside the club members were Mrs. Aaron Felix and her sister, Miss Anna Byrnes of Denver, Col., who is her guest, Mrs. Charles Awalt of St. Joseph, who is visiting her mother, Mrs. J. T. Linville, and Mrs. J. I. Hoffman of Washington, D. C., who is visiting her mother, Mrs. M. Casteel.

## Farewell Merry-making.

The employees of the Alderman-Yehle dry goods store gave a supper last night in the basement rooms of the store as a farewell pleasure for Elmore Frank, who leaves Tuesday, Au-

gust 3, for New York City to enter New York university. After the supper the entire crowd was entertained by C. W. Yehle and J. D. Frank with a theater party at the Empire. Those in the party were Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Yehle and sons, Eugene, Ralph, Carlos and Cleo; Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Frank and sons, Elmore, Ellison and James D. Jr.; Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Suckow and daughter, Ferne; Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Tracy and daughter, Thelma; Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Allan, Miss Gertrude Condon, Miss Hazel Porter, Miss Hilda Lahr, Miss Emma Jane Crandall, Mrs. Lois Long, Mrs. Verna Murphy, Mrs. Gay Leeper, Misses Katherine and Theresa Yehle, Miss Mollie Hall, Miss Nello Campbell and Miss Ora Saunders.

## Birthday Dinner.

A very pleasant surprise party was given Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Wolfer of Conception

Junction in honor of the fiftieth birthday anniversary of Mr. Wolfer. At noon a sumptuous dinner was enjoyed and the afternoon spent with various amusements. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Wolfer, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Weiderholt, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Billey, Mr. and Mrs. August Kink, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Wobbe, Mr. and Mrs. John Allen, Mr. and Mrs. James Sullivan, Mr. and Mrs. Phil Waller, Mr. and Mrs. Julius Strube, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Abels and son, Leonard; Mr. and Mrs. Aloys Henggele, Mr. and Mrs. Eli Schreiber and daughter, Mary; Mr. and Mrs. John Schreiber, Jr., and daughters, Rosie and Margaret; Mr. and Mrs. Clem King and daughter, Cecilia; Mrs. Catherine Wirth, Mrs. Albert Henggele, Misses Catharine Kieber, Anna and Josephine Meyer, Agatha, Mary and Josephine Wolfer, Odilia and Gertrude Walter, Anna and Monica Sullivan, Pauline and Mary Abels.

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## WANTED

Owners of Autos regardless of where you live—to call at Fair Headquarters and get

## Safety First Bulletin and Fair Banner

Help us to advertise the Big Fair in the Best County in the state, Maryville, Mo., Aug. 30-31-Sept. 1, 2, 3, 4.

**J. A. Ford, Mgr.**

**20% Discount**  
ON ALL SUITINGS  
**Dietz and Keck**

## Shirt Sale

Your unrestricted choice of any Style or Pattern in our stock. Full Assortments.

All \$1.50 Qualities now **\$1.25**  
or Two or More at **\$1.15**  
All \$2.00 Qualities now **\$1.45**  
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**Roy W. Pettit**  
The Toggery Shop

**GRAHAM'S**  
220 NORTH MAIN STREET  
**Two Days More**

Friday, July 30 and  
Thursday July 31

On Sale 10 o'clock a. m., Friday, July 30,  
**LACE CURTAINS..... 9c**

Manufacturer's sample lace curtain strips, values to \$1.50 a pair.

On Sale 10 o'clock a. m., Saturday, July 31,  
**BLUE ENAMELWARE..... 9c**

First quality blue enamelware, 4-qt. preserving kettle, 4-qt. handled sauce pans, 10-qt. water pail, 4-qt. covered kettle, values 25c to 40c.

## Brown and White Cooking Ware

9c  
6, 7 and 8-inch mixing bowls, finest quality white lined brown cooking ware.

## 8½-inch Steamers

9c  
Regulation size steamers of good quality tin, 2 side handles, covered.

## 18c to 35c Lace Banding

9c  
Wide lace banding, cluny, shadow, fillet and Oriental laces, very special for this sale.

## 1-Quart Ball Brand Jars, 2 for 9c

The genuine Ball brand Mason pattern fruit jars, 1-quart size specially priced during this sale.

## 10-Quart Tin Pails

9c  
Good quality tin Dairy Pails, heavy roll top flange bottom, heavy bail, worth 18c.

## Star-Cut Sugar and Creamers

9c  
Heavy hand cut star pattern sugars and creamers, highly finished, worth 35c a pair.

## Souvenir China

9c  
Slippers, hair receivers, plates, creamers, vases, etc., 2 for..... 9c

## 6-oz. Jelly Glasses

6 for 9c  
Fluted and plain jelly glasses, each fitted with tight fitting cover.

## 5c Parlor Matches

4 Boxes  
9c  
Regular 5c size boxes, best quality silent, non-poisonous matches.

## 25c Qual. Box Paper

9c  
Fine white ware plate and cloth finish papers in beautifully lithographed boxes.

## 5c White Laundry Soap, 3 Bars

9c  
Pearly Wave, best quality white laundry soap, guaranteed free from all injurious substances.

## Good Quality Pearl Buttons, 6 doz.

9c  
Good quality fresh water pearl buttons—the grade usually sold at four dozen for 10c.



NOT ROASTING OF FEAT

Territorials Bring Down British 'Plane With Their Rifles.

South End, England, July 29.—Two companies of territorials stationed near here brought down an aeroplane with rifle fire, but they are not doing any boasting over their feat, for the victim proved to be a British army machine.

The territorials responsible for such an accurate but unfortunate feat of marksmanship were guarding Canvey island, where huge quantities of war munitions are stored, and they had instructions to shoot at any aviator flying over the island without giving an agreed signal to indicate that he was not on a hostile errand. The victim of their marksmanship either did not know of their rule or ignored it, and when he got within range, a volley was fired at him. None of the bullets struck the aviator, but one punctured the aeroplane's gasoline tank and he was compelled to alight.

When the territorials ran up to complete their triumph by taking the aviator prisoner, they were greeted with a volley of strong language. The profanity was unmistakably English.

Kaiser May Not Answer Last Note.

London, July 29.—The Cologne Gazette published a wireless dispatch from Washington containing the suggestion that "in order to avoid the further excitement of public opinion in America" Germany should not reply to the American note unless it is able to give a favorable answer, says a telegram from Amsterdam. The Cologne Gazette considers the message well worthy of consideration.

Leelanaw Captain Has No Complaint.

Washington, July 29.—Consul Denison at Dundee, Scotland, reported to the state department that the captain of the American ship Leelanaw stated under oath he had "endeavored to escape" and only brought his ship to a stop after two warning shots were fired at him at a distance of two miles. He had no complaint to make of his treatment by the submarine officers.

War Satisfactory to England.

London, July 29.—Premier Asquith in moving adjournment of parliament until Sept. 14, said that the war situation is satisfactory, that German submarines will inflict no substantial injury to British trade, that more recruits are enlisting, and that the war has become a contest of endurance.

Archbishop Hanna Installed.

San Francisco, July 29.—Most Rev. Edward J. Hanna, D. D., was installed as archbishop of San Francisco here with impressive ceremonies. He succeeds the late Archbishop Riordan who died Dec. 27, 1914, after a service of thirty-one years.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

**Wall Paper**  
ANNUAL CLEARANCE SALE  
DURING JULY  
7½c a roll up  
**ARNETT'S**

**CHICHESTER'S PILLS**  
THE DIAMOND BRAND  
Ladies! Ask your Druggist for Chichester's Diamond Brand Pills in Red and Gold metallic boxes. Sold with Blue Ribbons. Take no other. Buy of your Druggist. Ask for CHICHESTER'S DIAMOND BRAND PILLS, for 25 years known as Best, Safest, Always Reliable. SOLD BY DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE.

**The Route That Offers Most To Exposition Tourists**

It's an investment that means a lot—your trip to the California Expositions. You should buy the ticket that will pay the biggest dividends in scenic enjoyment, in attractive and interesting points reached—in luxurious, smoothly-handled train service.

The Burlington is offering a Grand Circle Tour for Exposition visitors that comprises the biggest "Seeing America First" value ever offered. If you have made a Pacific Coast tour before you will realize this. If not, ask your friends who are familiar with the West—who know what's what.

Just get the facts about this Grand Circle Tour, then compare it with any other that you know about, and judge for yourself.

Stop-overs allowed at any point and 90 days to make the trip. Step in and get your copy of our California Exposition folder, next time you're going by.

**W. E. GOFORTH, Ticket Agent THAT REMINDS ME!** If you are going to take advantage of your home-stand rights, you have no time to waste. A few years from now the good land will all be gone. Now, you can secure a good 80-acre irrigated or 320-acre Mondell homestead on mighty attractive terms. Let me send you particulars—free. S. B. Howard, Immigration Agent, 1004 Farnum St., Omaha, Neb.

STACK YOUR WHEAT, ADVICE.

Means Less Help Needed, Better Straw, Higher Prices and Better Grain.

Unless some unforeseen calamity should occur the wheat crop this year will exceed the phenomenal crop of last year, and will probably be more than 700,000,000 bushels of winter wheat alone. This means that the threshing outfits, railroads, elevators, etc., will be crowded to the utmost and a great part of the grain will stand in the field for weeks. Therefore, it should be stacked.

Stacking will save grain and straw which might otherwise be spoiled in wet weather.

Stacking will put grain through a complete sweat which will improve its quality.

Threshing from the stack requires less help than shock threshing, which will equalize the cost of stacking.

Stacking furnishes good storage with absolutely no cost which would prevent glutting the market at any one time.

The grain must be removed for early working of the soil. Stacking makes it possible to plow following harvesting. Early plowing is one of the greatest factors in the increasing of the yield. Discing the land early is the next best thing.—Elmo Register.

**A Bald Head Only Indicates that the scalp has been neglected. We recommend that you use**

**Rexall "93" Hair Tonic**  
Kills the germ that causes the hair to fall out and will keep the scalp healthy.  
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Are assured you if you come to Crane's. Our expert optician will test your eyes free and fit them with proper glasses.

**H. T. CRANE**  
JEWELER AND OPTICIAN

NEWS OF SOCIETY AND WOMEN'S CLUBS

(Continued from page 3.)

Lizzie Strube and Angela King, Messrs. Mike Miller, Albert Felix, Albert Hengeler, Andy Kern, Emil and Isidore Martin of St. Joseph, John, Peter, Alfred and Joseph Myer, Lawrence and John Schreiber, Eugene and Gregory King, Ferdinand, Anton, Basil and Leo Wolfer, Gregory, Walter and Francis Strube.

Birthday Surprise Party.

To celebrate the birthday anniversary of Marion Minter, the employee of the Fisher-McMurry garage gave him a surprise party last night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gabe Allen of East Fourth street. The evening was spent informally and a delicious supper served. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Casey, Mr. and Mrs. William Whitney, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Murray and family, Mr. and Mrs. Gabe Allen, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Fisher and family, Misses Dora, Maggie, Daisy and Bessie Allen and Mr. Minter.

For Kansas City Guests.

Miss Katherine Vaughn was the hostess of a dinner party given at noon today at the Vaughn home, on South Buchanan street, at which plates were laid for Miss Kathleen McShane of Kansas City, Miss Anna Parle, Miss Irene Tobin, Miss Grace Parle, Leo and John McShane, Charles Geary and Edward McShane, all of Kansas City; James Tobin, Robert Tobin, Mrs. J. Vaughn and Miss Vaughn.

Guess Work Is DANGEROUS In Fitting Glasses

The old way of fitting glasses by guessing at the kind needed was often more harmful than going without them. NO GUESS WORK NOW. I submit the test, the correction, and the cost to you before you are asked to pay a single cent. You take no risk nor incur any obligation by coming to me about your eyes.

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MARYVILLE, MO.

KANSAS ROADS INJURE MORE.

Utilities Report Shows "Safety First" Campaign Has Failed.

The "safety first" campaign conducted by the Kansas railroads for several years has not produced the results expected. Five hundred more persons were injured in railroad accidents during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1914, than during the fiscal year of 1912, in Kansas, according to the biennial report of the Kansas Public Utilities Commission.

Twenty-six persons were killed and 8,029 injured on street railways and interurbans in 1914, compared to forty-one killed and 8,537 injured in 1912. Two-thirds of the deaths and seven-eighths of the injuries were on the Metropolitan Street Railway in Kansas City, Kas.

When to Turn Cover Crop Under.

The state at which a cover crop should be turned under depends upon the soil, weather conditions, and the crop that is to follow. Where corn is to be planted on crimson clover land, the clover should be turned under just when the bloom begins to appear. The crop at this stage will contain about the maximum amount of plant food. Besides, it will decay much more readily than if permitted to reach full maturity. It may be necessary to turn the clover under a little earlier, in order to get the corn planted at the proper time.

LOST—Blacy leather wrist bag containing two pieces embroidery and small change. Return Mrs. Awaft, 322 North Walnut. 29-31

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

**CHARLES E. STILLWELL,**  
ATTORNEY AND COUNSELOR  
AT LAW.  
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DOUBLY PROVEN.

Maryville Readers Can No Longer Doubt the Evidence.

This Maryville citizen testified long ago.

Told of quick relief—of undoubted benefit.

The facts are now confirmed. Such testimony is complete—the evidence conclusive.

It forms convincing proof of merit. A. W. Hawkins, Main street, Maryville, says: "I had a weak, sore and aching back. Doan's Kidney Pills gave me relief and I haven't used a kidney medicine since. I can still recommend Doan's Kidney Pills as highly as I did in 1911."

Price 50c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Hawkins had. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

QUITMAN NEWS.

Preaching services at Centenary Sunday were well attended, considering the condition of the roads.

Mrs. Roy Yates and children spent Tuesday with Mrs. C. W. Nichols and family.

Mrs. W. M. Arthur spent Thursday with Mrs. Roy Huggbanks.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. McDonald and children and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Short left last week in their car for a pleasure trip to Colorado.

Miss Frances Walton left Monday for an extended visit with her brother, George Walton of Elmo.

Mrs. Henry Porter and son, Denton, returned Tuesday from Clarinda, Ia.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Nichols and family spent Sunday at the home of Lee Talbert.

Guests at Dr. Bone Home.

Dr. and Mrs. C. A. Bone are entertaining his sister, Mrs. D. A. Gillis and three children, of Montezuma, Ia., who will remain their guests for several weeks.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING WANTS THAT BRING RESULTS

RATES IN THIS COLUMN

Classified ads running three days or more will be inserted in this column for one-half cent per word each insertion. No ads taken for less than 25c for three days. Ads running less than three days or interrupted insertions 1 cent per word each insertion. Count the words; send money with the order. Ads should be in by twelve o'clock to insure insertion in this column same day.

Miscellaneous.

QUICK and efficient service is required for first class work. Our service gives this to you. Standard Plumbing Co.

WANTED—Girl's bicycle, 20-inch frame, in good repair. Margaret Louise Hosmer, 529 West Third. 17-30

LOST—Horse blanket near White Cloud bridge. Leave at Democrat-Forum office. 27-29

LOST—White Angora cat, yellow and black markings and gray tail. Dr. Bone. Liberal reward. 28-31

For Sale.

FOR SALE—Household furniture, 116 South Walnut. Hanamo phone 3430. 28-30

FOR SALE OR RENT—My place, adjoining Normal grounds; 6 large rooms, garden, pasture, fruit. Vacant J. T. Hays.

FOR RENT—5-room house at 116 South Walnut. Vacant Aug. 15. Hanamo phone 268. 28-30

FOR SALE—Several thousand feet of native lumber. Well seasoned, just the thing to repair barns or hog houses. \$1.00 per hundred. John L. Tilson.

LETTER LIST.

Following is a list of the letters remaining unclaimed in the Maryville, Mo., postoffice for the week ending Wednesday, July 28, 1915:

Men.

Bright, Walter E.  
Green, R. C.  
Hancock, R. W.  
Hiltner, Harold.  
Hummel, C. P. (return to writer).  
Reynolds, Sherman.  
Ridenour, Chas.  
Robertson, George.  
Sawyers, W. H.  
Snowden, A. C.

Women.

Allen, Dorothy (official).  
Brown, Mrs. Elizabeth.  
Browne, Miss Nora.  
Combs, Mrs. and Son.  
Homes, Mrs. D. M.  
Morys, Mrs. Luney.  
Needham, Mrs. Nancy.  
Percy, Mrs. Ida.  
Simpson, Mrs. F. A.  
Stover, Miss Ethel.  
Snyder, Mrs. Jennie B.  
Spencer, Mrs. E. H.

Persons calling for the above named letters mention "advertised."  
JAMES TODD, Postmaster.

Dawson Fowler Leaves.

Dawson Fowler, who has been visiting his grandmother, Mrs. Callista Dawson, left yesterday for a few days visit in Kansas City, after which he will go to his home. His mother, Mrs. Cora Fowler, who accompanied him, will remain for a longer visit.

At Nebraska City.

Miss Katherine Kuchs is visiting at Nebraska City, Neb., the guest of Miss Louise Koepfel.

# The Big Maryville Fair

\$10,000.00 In Premiums and Attractions

## MARYVILLE, MISSOURI

August 30, 31, September 1, 2, 3, 4, 1915

**Six Big Days**      **Fairest of Fairs**      **Six Big Nights**

Every Hour There is Something to be Seen and Remembered

**6 Big Races Every Day 6**  
Every Race a Thriller from Start to Finish

**6 Big Free Acts Daily 6**  
Sensational, Daring, Hazardous

Big Live Stock, Agriculture, Horticulture and Floral Hall Exhibits

### Don't Forget the Big Night Horse Show

The Society Event of the Fair. 8:00 p.m. in front of the Grand Stand. This will be one of the Strongest Features of the Fair. Extraordinary. A Real High Class Horse Show. **Don't Miss it!**

## Capt. J. H. Warden With His Moisant Military Monoplane THE SIEGE OF LIEGE

The Greatest Aerial Bombardment Reproducing a Real Battle in the Clouds and the Destruction of a Fort! See at Home What Occurs in Europe Daily. Exciting and Instructive. This Act is a Thriller and the Highest Priced Aeroplane Attraction Before the American People!

### Blondin

World's Greatest Fire Works, Introducing the Sinking of the Lusitania, Submarine Scenes, Niagara Falls and Comic Scenes Too Numerous to Mention.

### Other Free Acts

Trapeze Acts, One Ring Circus, Trampoline Act, Balloon Ascent, All Stars in Their Profession, Every Act a Headliner, High Class, Clean and entertaining.

**A Fair of the People--For the People--By the People**

**One Price of Admission, Adults 50c, Children 7 to 12 years of age 25c**  
To All Parts of the Grounds. Grand Stand and Center Field Free  
No Extra Charge Every Time You Turn Around. Season Tickets at a Liberal Reduction

**The Only Fair With One Admission**

**Jim Andy Ford, Mgr.**

**MARYVILLE, MO. 30**  
**FRIDAY, JULY**

Circus Ground Opposite Wabash Depot

AN EXHIBITION THAT MARKS THE CLIMAX IN AMUSEMENT ACHIEVEMENT

**HUGO BROS.**  
MODERN UNITED SHOWS  
OVERTOPPING, SURPASSING & ECLIPSING ALL OTHERS

INTRODUCING THE COSTLIEST FEATURE EVER PRESENTED UNDER TENTED TOPS

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**STABLE OF 20 PERFORMING HORSES**

**INCLUDING JOE BAILEY THE GREATEST HIGH SCHOOL HORSE IN THE WORLD**

**IN THE ONLY HORSE SHOW IN AMERICA THAT HAS TWICE ENGINCELED THE GLOBE**

**20 FUNNY GLOWS AND 40 OTHER FEATURES**

**THE FAMOUS PECHECO FAMILY**

**MORE PERFECTLY TRAINED ANIMALS THAN ANY OTHER SHOW EVER OFFERED**

**DIFFERENT AND DISTINCTIVE DIRECT FROM THE EUROPEAN WAR ZONE**

**NO EXPENSE HAS BEEN SPARED IN SECURING THE BEST TALENT IN EUROPE, ASIA AND AMERICA**

**BRING THE CHILDREN WHO WILL BE GIVEN A FREE RIDE ON OUR BEAUTIFUL PONIES IMMEDIATELY AFTER EACH PERFORMANCE**

**A PRICELESS MENAGERIE OF UNTAMED BEASTS OF THE FOREST**

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**GRAND FREE STREET PARADE DAILY AT 11:30**